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Late Moves In War Game

Germany makes tentative offers for separate peace with Russia.

Tenton officials overestimate food supply.

Chancellor Hollweg expected to address Reichstag on foreign relations tomorrow.

Allies continue hammering German lines on west front.

Democratic Russia effecting reorganization under menace of big German drive on Petrograd.

U. S. rushing preparations for war.

45,400 militia on duty throughout nation guarding railroad terminals, bridges and buildings.

Argentine places embargo on wheat.

Manchuria, American armed ship, makes safe voyage across Atlantic.

More regiments of militia called to colors.

Washington, D. C., March 28.—Four more national guard regiments were called to the colors today.

They are the First West Virginia, the Seventy-Fourth New York Infantry, the Second Connecticut Infantry and the Second New Jersey Infantry.

The war department announced further that the first regiment of engineers, U. S. A., except Company F, has been ordered from the southern department to its home station at Washington barracks here.

A. and B. Companies are at Brownsville; Company C at Iaredo; Company D at Washington barracks; Company E at Eagle Pass, and Company F at Fort Sam Houston.

Before today's order went out 43,000 militia had been called to the colors by the government. Today's order brings then number up approximately to 45,400.

Washington, D. C., March 28.—National guard units which were partly demobilized yesterday when the order went out suspending further demobilizations will be remobilized to service the war department ordered late today.

The order is known to affect the First Mississippi Infantry and ambulance company number one of Alabama.

Just what other organizations are affected by the order, the war department was unable to state at once. Reports from department commanders must first be received.

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KAISER HAS MILD FORM OF DIABETES

Berne, March 28.—Kaiser Wilhelm is suffering from a mild form of diabetes and is undergoing treatment at Homburg, according to wireless dispatches received here today.

His physicians were said to have given assurances that with a careful regime of treatment they can effect a cure, but worry is said to be retarding the emperor's recovery.

Asks For Increase In Iowa's Foodstuffs

Des Moines, Ia., March 28.—An increase in Iowa's yield of foodstuffs in this time of world-wide shortage was urged by Governor W. L. Harding, in a special message sent to the legislature today. He suggested calling of an advisory council from the leading farmers and legislative assistance to farm associations and the state agricultural college, by appropriation if necessary.

"U. S. In War Next Week"

Boston, Mass., March 28.—

Senator John W. Weeks,

declared the United States

"will get into the war next

week," at a dinner here.

"We are now on the brink

of one of the three or four

most important events in the

life of the republic," he said.

"We have been very com-

placent and tranquil in all

this world turmoil, but now

we are going into the war."

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Armored Cars Supported By Cavalry Take Town From German Forces

With the British Armies Ascheld, March 28.—For the first time since the fighting in Belgium at the beginning of the war, armored cars, supported by cavalry, achieved the capture of a town today.

The village was Boyelles. The armored cars, supported on the north and south by British cavalry, swept over the Germans. The enemy fled precipitately, not having expected more than a clash with small advance forces.

The Germans had laid a trap at Boyelles for what they supposed would be a reconnoitering guard of the British advance. But they were overwhelmed by the strength of the British forces, no less than by surprise at the bringing into action of the armored cars.

Field Marshal Haig's men today held Boyelles in great strength.

Paris, March 28.—"French troops captured important positions in the region of Leuilly and

Neuville and made further progress north of the Ailette," declared today's official statement.

The war office reported a heavy artillery duel in progress in the region east of the lower forest of Coucy.

"All day yesterday and during the night," the statement said, "heavy guns on both sides raged in the region of Butte de Mesnil and Maisons de Champagne."

"The night was quiet between the Oise and the Somme and south of the Oise."

Leuilly and Neuville sous Marival both lie to the south of the forest of St. Gobain. Progress reported here indicates possibly another French encircling movement. Heretofore the fighting has been reported from the north of the forest. Both the towns mentioned today are southeast of Coucy Le Chateau and on the

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U. S. Ready To Cope With Any German Activities In Mexico

IS MOBILIZING U. S. PHYSICIANS



Dr. F. F. Simpson, chief of the medical section of the U. S. Army, is organizing the medical resources of the country into a specialized unit.

Both Parties To Have Complete Tickets In House

Washington, D. C., March 28.—Hope for a bi-partisan organization of the house seemed finally lost today when Representative Mann, minority leader, following a conference with Majority Leader Kitchin said he believed both Republicans and Democrats would present complete tickets in the house Monday.

There was little indication of division in Democratic ranks today when Democratic members of the house ways and means committee met to draft a ticket comprising officers and committee chairmen to present to the Democratic caucus Friday.

Democratic leaders professed belief that the threat by anti-prohibitionists to scratch the ticket because of the war prohibition measures were rushed through last session would not be carried out. Democratic "wets" have so far as is known held no conference.

Representative Caldwell, New York "wet" leader, informed Floor Leader Kitchin he is ready for a conference with the rest of the party. He refused to discuss "wets" plans in any way.

House leaders spent some time today figuring on the attendance they will have on Monday when voting on a house organization begins. Theoretically there will be 433 members present, but leaders admitted full attendance is more than improbable. "Dope" writers have been figuring that 217 votes will have to be cast for the winning candidate for speaker and other house officers. South Trimble, clerk of the house, who will be presiding officer until a

speaker is elected, stated, he will rule that a quorum of 217 being present, only a majority of members in attendance and voting will be needed to elect. This ruling will result in election of the ticket with the biggest attendance.

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1200 OHIO TROOPS ARE STANDING GUARD OVER BRIDGES AND TERMINALS

Militia Companies On Guard Duty In Ohio

Militia companies doing guard duty in various parts of the state today, were:

Companies C. F. I. and K. Fifth Regiment, Cleveland.

L. C. H. and machine gun company, First Regiment, Cincinnati.

A. and E. Seventh, Zanesville.

C. Seventh, Pomeroy.

K. Seventh, Portsmouth.

I. Seventh, Ironton.

B. and E. Seventh, Marietta.

F. Seventh, Gallipolis.

Columbus, O., March 28.—More than 1,200 Ohio troops today are standing guard over railroad terminals and bridges and various public buildings throughout the state.

Whether still more guardsmen will be called for "precautionary protection" against enemy plotters probably will be known late today or tomorrow when Adjutant General Wood returns from Chicago where he went last night to confer with General Barry, commanding the central department.

Meanwhile officers here are holding themselves in readiness for orders to mobilize the entire guard, expected at any time.

ARMED AMERICAN SHIP REACHES PORT

New York, March 28.—The Atlantic Transport freighter Manchuria, reached an English port Monday, closely following the time of the St. Louis' arrival, the International Mercantile Marine announced today. The Manchuria was the first armed American steamship to sail from an American port. She departed 24 hours before the St. Louis, but was passed on the way by the passenger vessel.

The Manchuria is a 14,000 ton vessel. She was heavily laden with foodstuffs. She carried a crew of 145.

Word also has been received of the arrival in England of the White Star Liner Adriatic.

German Food Supply Is Overestimated

WISH TO SEE AMERICAN TROOPS IN FRANCE

Paris, March 28.—"We wish to see American troops in France as soon as possible," declared Secretary General Jules Cambon in an interview granted American correspondents in the French foreign office today.

"The public feels confident in its anticipation of American military aid," the former foreign minister said, "and such aid would be enthusiastically welcomed."

The new government's policy will be for more active war," Cambon continued, discussing the re-organized Ribot cabinet.

"Germany is actually in hard straits."

Amsterdam, March 28.—German Food Dictator Batouki admitted to the Reichstag main committee that there had been an over-estimate in the amount of Germany's food supplies, according to Berlin advices received today.

Batouki was quoted, in commenting on the seriousness of the German food situation, as saying that increased production "was impossible owing to lack of labor and enormous difficulties of transport."

Continue Arrests of Russ Officials

Berlin, (Via Sayville wireless) March 28.—Arrests of high Russian officials continue, according to Stockholm information from Petrograd published by the official government press bureau today. Admiral Viren has been killed, it was stated. The bureau said General Wojekow had proposed to open all fronts and let the Germans enter, but the czar replied that he could not betray Russia.

Plan Peace Demonstration

Washington, D. C., March 28.—While congress is convening in war session on Monday next the capital will witness the biggest demonstration in its history, the Emergency Peace Federation announced today. Pacifists from all sections of the country will flock here for the mammoth, anti-war demonstration. The whole idea grew up suddenly and has met with unexpected success, according to Miss Elizabeth Freeman, in charge of Washington headquarters of the federation.

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FRIDAY
VIVIAN MARTIN in "THE WAX MODEL"

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SCIOTOVILLE
The W. C. T. U. held a very interesting meeting Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Marie E. Sikes of Broadway street, where the following program was rendered:
Song—Battle Hymn of Republic.
Scripture Lesson—Proverbs 20, Mrs. Bess Turner.
Prayer—Mrs. Ella Chase.
Song—My Country 'Tis of Thee.
Address—Mrs. C. C. Coverston, county president.

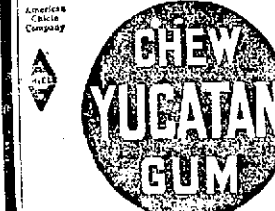
WHEELERSBURG
Mrs. J. N. Hudson, of Main street, will entertain the "Merry Workers" class of the M. E. church at her home Friday evening. Every member is urged to be present.
Among the visitors to Portsmouth Tuesday were Mesdames Louis Snyder, W. H. McCurdy, J. N. Hudson and Ed Ranshaw.
Winfield Bell has moved from the Reed property to the Frank Cranston property on Dogwood Ridge.
Mrs. Howard Argo and baby, of Cincinnati, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Hall.
Mrs. Will McCurdy and Mrs. Frank McCurdy left Wednesday for Columbus, where they will visit their daughter and niece, Mrs. U. B. Pearl.



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Draw A Moist Cloth Through Hair and Double Its Beauty At Once.
Your hair becomes light, wavy, fluffy, abundant and appears as soft, lustrous and beautiful as a young girl's after a "Dandergine" hair cleanse. Just try this—moisten a cloth with a little Dandergine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. This will cleanse the hair of dust, dirt and excessive oil and in just a few moments you have doubled the beauty of your hair.
Besides beautifying the hair at once, Dandergine dissolves every particle of dandruff; cleanses, purifies and invigorates the scalp; forever stopping itching and falling hair.
But what will please you most will be after a few weeks' use when you will actually see new hair—fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair growing all over the scalp. If you care for pretty soft hair and lots of it surely get a 25-cent bottle of Dandergine from any drug store or toilet counter, and just try it.
Save your hair. Beautify it! You will say this was the best 25 cents you ever spent.

Yankees In Lead

Two candidates were obligated at the semi-monthly meeting of the Knights of the Maabees Tuesday evening, a large number of members being in attendance. Young's Yankees are leading in the membership contest which closes April 1.
Daisy O'Connor, who has been here conducting the campaign, will leave this week. The six months' campaign will not end until July 1. All Maabees lodges of the state take part in this membership campaign for a state banner. The local order will hold a class initiation on the second Tuesday in April when about 4 candidates will be taken in. All Knights have been invited to attend a social to be held next Tuesday evening in Maabees hall by the Women's Bond Association of the Maabees.

Rebels Initiate Six

Six candidates were initiated at the weekly session of the Daughters of Rebekah, Tuesday evening. The new members are Mrs. Mary Daniels, Mrs. Laura Oakley, Miss Opal Lett, Mrs. Margaret Lett, Margaret Drumb, J. E. Daniels, Miss Stella Cooper was re-initiated. Mrs. A. Parker was received as a member by transfer. Two applications were received. There will be initiation next Tuesday night.

Recruits Wanted

Recruits for Company K, Seventh Regiment, Ohio National Guards, are wanted.
A recruiting station will be opened on the Gallia street esplanade Thursday by Capt. W. J. Keyes. A man will be stationed there during the day and part of the evening, with instructions to take applications for enlistment from those who apply.
The young men of Portsmouth are urged to call at the tent and obtain information relative to enlistment in Company K.
An endeavor will be made by Captain Keyes to recruit the company to full war strength. To do this thirty or thirty-five more men are wanted.

Magnolia Team To Practice This Evening

(By H. M. S.)
Master of the Work George T. Swabby of Magnolia Lodge K. of P. has sent out a call for the assembling of Magnolia's degree team at the Castle hall this Wednesday evening at 7:15 for practice. Every member of the team from King down is urged to be there and prompt. This includes all who take part in staging of Knight rank.
The superb work of Massie's fine degree team at Ironton last Friday night, and the impressive staging of the rank by Sciotoville Monday night has put the other contestants on their mettle. Tomorrow night Peerless will try for a splendid grade, and Monday night the Ironton boys will "show" their best. Then comes Magnolia's turn, Friday night at Chillicothe, and while every Magnolia man glories in the splendor of the sister lodges, every mother's son believes his own team will "shade" the others and be in the limelight when the trumpets call for the finals in the great conclave at Columbus.
Come out, fellows. It's up to us!

HAROLD WHITE IS A LUCKY TUMBLER

"This ain't no ad. It's about my little brother and it's true," said a bright eyed, flaxen haired little girl as she tripped into the Times office during the noon hour today and asked to have this "piece" published about her little brother:
Harold White, two year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred White of 839 Front street, fell down a flight of 16 stairs Wednesday without receiving a scratch. The only thing he lost was his chewing gum.
DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT COMING
Dr. F. W. Miller, district superintendent, Cleveland, will arrive in the city this evening to attend services at the Fourth Street Methodist church, according to an announcement made Wednesday by Rev. Albert Marling. Quarterly conference will be held after the regular services. All the officers of the church are expected to attend.

Cottage Prayer Meetings

Reports from the nineteen cottage prayer meetings held by members of the First Christian church, Tuesday evening, show they were all well attended and thoroughly enjoyed, proving beyond a doubt that the members are enthusiastic for the success of the eight day revival that will start at "the church of the cordial welcome" on next Lord's day.
The members should bear in mind the mass prayer meeting to be held at the church this evening. The subject will be "Strike While the Iron is Hot," and Rev. Chas. R. Oakley will be the leader. It is hoped to have at least two hundred persons present. Two meetings will start promptly at 7:30 o'clock. Come prepared to take part.
The following is the schedule for the cottage prayer meetings to be held tomorrow, Thursday evening:
Mrs. Joe Evans, 118 Second, leader, J. Williams.
Mrs. Shacker, 614 Market, leader, L. Craden.
Mrs. Chas. Elmore, 1027 Washington, leader, W. Adams.
Mrs. Carl Gore, 402 Court, leader, Guy Davis.
Mrs. Chas. Smith, 1306 Fifth, leader, J. N. Ramey.
Mrs. Walter Goodman, 1817 Third, leader, Geo. Edwards.
Mrs. Q. Hughes, Fourth and Waller, leader, C. Hagaman.
Mrs. Mathews, 1109 Front, leader, Walter Bagby.
Mrs. John Hall, 1317 Seventeenth, leader, C. I. Cheyney.
Mrs. O. D. Morgan, 1021 Fifteenth, leader, O. D. Morgan.
Mrs. Alice Beck, 810 Harvard, leader, Ben Letchner.
Mrs. Ches. Kerr, 915 Offner, leader, C. Kerr.
Mrs. Lovell Lewis, 2229 Seventh, F. W. Sheridan.
Mrs. Nellie Marlowe, 815 Murray, W. E. Evans.
Miss Flora Hewett, 1604 Sixth, leader, G. Dodds.
Mrs. Levi Beck, 410 Campbell Ave., leader, Cary Roberts.
Miss Della Puckett, 1310 Mound, leader, C. M. Howland.
Mrs. J. Daniels, 1673 Robinson, leader, John Ault.
Mrs. Robe, 1521 Eleventh, leader, P. L. McGlone.

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Exquisite patterns in yard wide Silks, stripes, plaids and fancies, Shantung, Pongee, Tussah and Sport Silks in printed and woven figures. Values that are unmatchable.

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Push on the other end to make the sticks project

Pull out one—push the others back in

Unwrap the double cover and see how surpassingly full-flavored and delicious it is.

THREE KINDS

WRAPPED IN

The Flavor Lasts—

Chew it after every meal!

WITH THE SICK
Mrs. Anna J. Black, of St. Paul, Ky., is recovering from a week's illness.
Joseph Jenkins, of Ninth street, is dangerously ill with pneumonia.
Shields Johnson, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Johnson of 2327 Grant street, has recovered from the measles and now his two baby sisters, Althea Rosalie and Frances, have it. The latter has a very bad case. The three children had the whooping cough after Xmas.
Mrs. Solomon Hughes of Mill street, is very ill.

BELLANS

Absolutely Removes Indigestion. One package proves it. 25c at all druggists.

CALLED FOR GUARD DUTY
Boston, Mass., March 28—Company E, Ninth regiment, Massachusetts National Guard, was the first to be called for actual guard duty today. Orders have been received from General Leonard Wood, commander of the department of the East, that this company "somewhere in Massachusetts."

SHINOLA

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Teach the children to be thrifty. Habits formed in childhood are not apt to change in after years. The key opening box of SHINOLA with more than fifty shines and a SHINOLA HOME SET

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Dorothy Dalton in "Chicken Casey"

REVIVALS

The first of a series of special meetings which are being conducted this week by Dr. C. E. Chandler, pastor of the Bigelow Methodist church, which was held Tuesday evening, was a decided success.

Dr. Chandler had an unusual sermon. The sermon for this evening's meeting will be "Fire."

"A few years ago," Dr. Chandler said, "Joan Hays Hammond, Jr., on the shores of Dorchester Bay, pronounced a steel launch forward to be backward, described circles as straight lines. But Hammond, as on the shore which the launch was without a crew. The wireless not only could transmit messages but also communicate power. What safety for American harbors against an invading enemy, if, by some such wireless power, the deadly torpedo could be thus directed from the shore!

"And is this what faith means?"

That God, through a man's faith, can use him for the meeting of evil and the rout of the enemy? The question is not 'Can I overcome?' but, 'Can God and I together meet and overcome?'

"A soft bar of iron has no attractive power. Wind a wire about and send through the wire an electric current, and there is created a powerful electro-magnet."

"And is that what faith does? Faith is no mere intellectual assent, but the wire of surrender that envelopes the whole self, through which the electric will of God flows. By that sort of faith the man is transformed from an inert mass into a centre of magnetic power."

"Faith is the merging of belief, emotion, will into the Son of God, so that, like vine and branch, Christ may bear fruit for man's good."

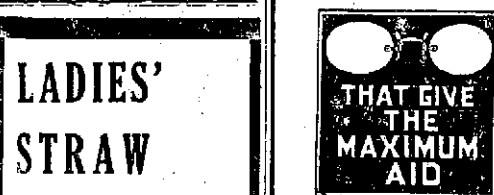
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that have become worn and soiled can be made as bright and good looking as new by the use of a package of El. Kay's Straw Hat Cleaner and a bottle of Colorite.

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of the beautiful play, "THE GIRL FROM OUT YONDER". Starting tomorrow matinee the big political graft play

"THE MAN OF THE HOUR"

SEE the big election scene. The torch light parade in the audience. BIG COUNTRY STORE Friday night. Prices: Matinee Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, 10 and 20 cents. Every evening at 8 o'clock, 10, 20 and 30c.

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"If the men and women of Bigelow had such a faith which involved an emptied heart, a yielded body and a surrendered will what could not God do through us? He is counting on us. 'There is no restraint with the Lord to save by many or by few.' He believes in us."

"When Whitefield went forth to his great labors the little wife sent him out with these words: 'Now, George, play the man for God, today.' Wendell Phillips was a brave champion of the slave but how much was due to the invalid wife who could send him forth with the words: 'Now Wendell, no shilly-shallying.'"

"When a woman has faith in a man, he answers to that faith as to a bugle note."

"Our leader has sent forth the note: 'True hearts leap up at the trumpet call.' God counts on us. Shall we fail Him?"

"The Mayor of Sodom"

The subject of Evangelist MacDonald's sermon tonight at the Grandview Avenue revival is "The Mayor of Sodom." A special request is made for all the church members and people who came from the country to be present.

One of the special features of the meetings is the large booster chorus that assists the regular chorus choir. "The Harbisons" are specialists with children in Bible drills as well as in music. A party will be given to all the children who sing in the booster chorus.

The evangelist wishes to meet all the men of the church at the close of service tonight.

All Sunday school teachers meet at 7 o'clock tonight.

A special invitation is given to members of all churches on the hill to assist in winning souls to Christ.

Pastor Hamilton extends a special invitation to the afternoon services. The evangelist is giving a study of the letter of John.

MacDonaldisms

No one can go to hell alone. Adam blamed Eve and Eve blamed the serpent but you can't blame anyone but yourself for your sin.

Friends or enemies may tempt but even the Devil can't make you sin till you are willing.

The first result of sin was shame. Disobedience meant driven out of Paradise. Obedience to Christ means Paradise regained.

MOVIE

At The Strand

An unusual production in every way is "The Eye of God" 5 act Bluebird photoplay showing at the Strand tonight. Tyrone Power and Lois Weber acting in the leading roles lend much force to the picture play. It is a crime play. The confession of a murdered man is recorded in the passing five reels. The interest in how the crime was committed is sustained until the end. "The Eye of God" is a wonderful play. "Grouches" is a Mutual comedy featuring Tom Wise.

Workmen Enlisting

Twenty-five men have called at the local post office to get application blanks for government positions, since the call was issued by President Wilson for artisans and skilled workmen to assist in the preparedness schedule adopted by the United States, according to Wesley J. Griver, superintendent of mail.

DEMONSTRATION IS POSTPONED

The plowing demonstration, which was to have been held at the county infirmary farm, under the direction of Alex M. Glockner, this afternoon, has been postponed owing to the high water conditions, and will be held at the George Davis farm on the afternoon of April 10.

PLEADS NOT GUILTY

Jess Marshall, formerly proprietor of the Marshall cafe, North End, was arraigned in police court Wednesday on a charge of purchasing stolen property from Forrest Fuel, colored. Marshall pleaded not guilty. The case was continued until Thursday for further investigation.

Fuel testified that Marshall had contracted to purchase a case of corn, which he stole from the Newdecker-Silcox company. Fuel says he received a dollar for the case of corn. Marshall declares that he knew nothing of the transaction until the officers appeared at his home a few days later and asked for the surrender of his saloon license.

A denial was also made by Marshall that he purchased three boxes of thread, which Fuel claimed he purchased. The affidavit against Jess Marshall was signed by W. C. Silcox.

CHURCH IS COMPLETED

Ironton, March 28—The beautiful St. Mary's church at Pine Grove, of Tudor Gothic architecture, will be completed and ready for occupancy Thursday night. Bishop J. J. Hartley, of Columbus, will soon dedicate the new house of worship, but he has not yet announced the date for the dedication.

The church is one of the finest in the county.

UNSHAKEN TESTIMONY

Time is the test of truth. And Doan's Kidney Pills have stood the test in Portsmouth. No Portsmouth resident who suffers backache, or annoying urinary ills can remain unconvinced by this twice-told testimony.

Walter Drennan, retired grocer, 1012 Findlay street, Portsmouth, says: "I had constant pains in my back and loins. I had chills and dizzy spells. The action of my kidneys was very irregular. I was so bad that I was down in bed for about two months. I doctored and used many kidney medicines, but nothing helped me. Finally I began taking Doan's Kidney Pills and was entirely cured." (Statement given November 22, 1906.)

On October 21, 1914, Mr. Drennan said: "Doan's Kidney Pills cured me of a bad case of kidney trouble and that cure has been permanent."

50c at all dealers. Foster-McBarn Co., Prop., Buffalo, N. Y.

Well Known Local Couple Get Married

Friends of William O. Staiger, of 1533 Ninth street, and Miss Flora Radcliff, of 1009 Front street, will be interested to learn that they were married in Vanceburg on Monday, March 19.

They were married by the Methodist minister of that village, according to the marriage license issued to P. Pollitt of Vanceburg.

Mr. Staiger gave his age as 20 and his occupation as a clerk, and Miss Radcliff gave her age as 27 and her occupation as a forelady.

The couple had succeeded in keeping their wedding a secret until Wednesday.

Application Turned Down

The Scioto County Liquor Licensing Board, at a meeting held Monday night, refused to grant a saloon license to Ollie Redman, colored, who made application to open a saloon on Tenth street near the N. & W. depot.

Jesse Marshall, colored, who had been conducting a saloon at Thirtieth and Railroad streets, surrendered his license to the board last night. He was given a hearing several days ago on a charge of receiving stolen goods, and before it could render its decision Marshall turned in his license. Dr. P. W. Young, of the board, stated Monday night.

LUCKY STRIKE



toasted cigarette

WHEN your breakfast toast is just right — buttered piping hot; brown, crisp, delicious — you'll admit that it's a little bit of Heaven on a dark morning.

Keep this agreeable thought in mind as you read about the new Lucky Strike cigarette. Because it's "tied up" with this same good old kitchen stove idea. The tobacco—it's toasted: and what that toasting does to the delicious Burley flavor! My!

There's been a big demand for a cigarette ready-made from Burley tobacco. Last year you had to pour the Burley out of those green, red and blue tins—enough for 35 billion cigarettes.

But until we made this toasting discovery a ready-made Burley cigarette wasn't possible—we couldn't hold the flavor. But now! Well, just try it—Lucky Strike—the real Burley cigarette; the tobacco—it's toasted.

Our men will demonstrate to you how the tobacco is toasted—at many stores!

20 For 10c

If your dealer does not carry them, send \$1 for a carton of 10 packages to The American Tobacco Co., N.Y. City



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CINCINNATI TO LAND W. O. W. CONVENTION

The Cincinnati Enquirer of Tuesday said:

"Cleveland Woodmen of the World yesterday at Cleveland consented not to contend for the 1919 state convention of the order at this year's meeting, which will be held at Newark, Ohio, next month. 'The Forest City Woodmen instead will throw their support to Cincinnati, which means the Queen City will get the next head camp convention.'

"District Manager Roy McElhenny, of Cincinnati, is the person who induced the Cleveland Woodmen to waive claims, he having been sent to Cleveland yesterday by the convention committee of the Cincinnati Chamber of Commerce."

Do You Remember?

These Things Happened Twenty-five Years Ago

(From our issue of March 26, 1892) Bannan; school board, Frank L. Marting; assessor, John M. McCoy. When the Times said "Many friends in this city have received beautiful engraved invitations for the wedding of Miss Nellie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Dolles, to Ernest H. Merrick, at high noon, April 5, at Saint Albans church, Chicago. Mr. and Mrs. Merrick will be at home after April 20, 1038 Park avenue, Omaha."

When the Greenup correspondent to The Times wrote: "James Hager, the merry bachelor drug clerk of Portsmouth visited his mother this week."

When Tom Lantz was elected a member of Lois Camp Sons of Veterans of Harrisonville.

A SAFE, EASY WAY TO CURE ULCERS

No matter how bad a sore or ulcer afflicts you, it is believed that Hoken's pure skin healer, will cure it, but if it doesn't cure, the purchase price will be refunded.

Fisher & Streich, the local agents for Hoken's, who have sold hundreds of packages, say they have yet to find any form of wound or disease affecting the skin that Hoken's does not heal, and its relief comes so quickly that those who try it are simply delighted with it.

Pimples, eczema, blackheads, acne, blemishes, and all skin troubles are quickly relieved by applying this simple skin healer and tissue builder. It contains no grease or acids, and is clean to use.

Fisher & Streich's drug store is selling a large package of tickets for 2c.



SPRING Is Just Around The Corner Dress-Up Time Is Here

Mother Earth is ready to put on her new Spring garments. Men, too, should don apparel in harmony with the glad Springtime.

Fashion Park Clothes

We show this well known brand of ready-to-put-on Suits for men—this line is carried by one of the best clothiers in every large city in this country—what is good enough for them is certainly good enough for us. You'll not appreciate these clothes unless you come to our store and try on the many models we are showing for Spring. We will be glad to serve you any time, you'll not regret it.

Hall Bros.

Masonic Temple

Fourth and Chillicothe Sts.

THE MARKETS

NEW YORK STOCKS FINANCIAL REVIEW

New York, March 28.—The New York Evening Sun financial review today says:

There was little or more than nominal interest in today's stock market with an entire absence of news developments of market wide influence. Trading quiet and perfunctory except in the railroad department. At the higher level, however, a good deal of stock was met. The rails as well as the industrials held well above the level of the previous closing.

Financial circles are naturally greatly interested in this government's financing plans.

Prices in general held firm throughout with particular strength in the railroad, sugar and motor stocks and the individual issues like Briggs-Searby, Wilson and company, Ohio Cities Gas, Bethlehem Steel and so on. The copper shares were narrowly irregular and neglected. Strong spots among the rails were Union Pacific, Canadian Pacific, Reading and Norfolk and Western.

New York, March 28.—Driggs Searby Ordinance led the stock market at the opening today with an overnight jump of 3 1/2 points to 76. Elsewhere in the list there were recoveries from the regularity and losses of yesterday's bear drive.

United States Steel was up 1/2 at 115 1/2. Marine preferred gained 1/2 at 91 1/2. New Haven advanced 3/4 to 45 and Crucible half to 69 1/2.

Driggs Searby followed the example of the bigger "war brides" jumping 8 1/2 points in the first half hour and selling at 13.

The market closed strong.

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CLOSING PRICES NEW YORK STOCKS

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ALL-Seasons 28 1/2
American Beet Sugar 96
American Can 45 1/2
American Locomotive 72 1/2
American Smelt and Ref. 104 1/2
American Sugar Refining 119 1/2
American Tel. and Tel. 127 1/2
Anacosta Copper 81 1/2
Atchafalca 40 1/2
Baldwin Locomotive 60 1/2
Baltimore and Ohio 60 1/2
Bethlehem Steel 17 1/2
Brooklyn Rap. Transit 63 1/2
Butte and Superior 43 1/2
California Petroleum 23 1/2
Canadian Pacific 161
Central Leather 61
Chesapeake and Ohio 60 1/2
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul 81 1/2
Coke Copper 57 1/2
Colorado Fuel and Iron 51 1/2
Columbia Gas 44 1/2
Cruella Steel 69 1/2
Denver and Rio Grande 12 1/2
Erie 30
General Electric 160 1/2
Goodrich Co. 5 1/2
Great Northern Ore 31 1/2
Great Northern Pfd. 114 1/2
Hillside Central 106 1/2
International Consol. Corn 124 1/2
International Nickel 43 1/2
Inter. Harvester, N. J. 116 1/2
Inter. Merc. Mar. Pfd. 90 1/2
Lackawanna Steel 86
Louisville and Nashville 120 1/2
Maxwell Motor Co. 53
Mexican Petroleum 91
Miami Copper 41
Mason, Kan. and Tex. Pfd. 17 1/2
Missouri Pacific 60 1/2
National Lead 51 1/2
New York Central 63
N. Y. K. H. and Hartford 46 1/2
Norfolk and Western 133 1/2
Northern Pacific 104 1/2
Pennsylvania 25 1/2
Ray Consolidated Copper 22 1/2
Reading 70 1/2
Republic Iron and Steel 53
Southern Pacific 56 1/2
Southern Railway 30 1/2
Standard Oil Co. 101
Tennessee Copper 124 1/2
Union Pacific 114 1/2
U. S. Rubber 52 1/2
U. S. Steel 115 1/2
U. S. Steel Pfd. 115
Wabash 12 1/2

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Chicago, March 28.—Wheat started firm but a few minutes later, upon peace rumors, developed a weakness. There was little buying at the start and selling on the advance was general. Longs evened up their trading when the peace talk started. May wheat opened up 3/4, but later declined 3/4 to 1.03 1/2. July opened up 3/4, later dropping one point to 1.06 1/2. September opened up 1/2, subsequently declining 1/4 to 1.12 1/2. Corn was firm at the start, but later broke with wheat. Commission demands were fair but offerings small. May corn opened up 3/4, later losing 1/2 to 1.11 1/2. July opened up but declined 1/2 to 1.13 1/2. September opened up 1/2, later losing 1/2 to 1.13 1/2. Oats were governed by the other cereals. May opened up 1/4, lost 1/2, going to 60 1/2. July opened up 1/4, declining 1/2 to 57 1/2. Provisions ruled slightly higher with the increased strength in hogs.

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	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
May	1.03 1/2	1.05 1/2	1.03 1/2	1.04 1/2
July	1.06 1/2	1.07 1/2	1.06 1/2	1.06 1/2
Sep.	1.13 1/2	1.15 1/2	1.13 1/2	1.13 1/2
Barley—				
May	1.17 1/2	1.17 1/2	1.16 1/2	1.17 1/2
July	1.16 1/2	1.16 1/2	1.15 1/2	1.15 1/2
Sep.	1.14 1/2	1.14 1/2	1.13 1/2	1.14 1/2
Oats—				
May	.61 1/2	.61 1/2	.60 1/2	.61 1/2
July	.58 1/2	.58 1/2	.57 1/2	.58 1/2
Sep.	.53 1/2	.53 1/2	.52 1/2	.53 1/2
Pork—				
May	31.62	31.62	31.50	31.50
July	33.40	33.47	33.35	33.37
Lard—				
May	19.87	19.95	19.85	19.85
July	19.92	20.00	19.87	19.95
Ribs—				
May	18.20	18.24	18.12	18.15
July	18.39	18.45	18.30	18.30

TOLEDO GRAIN & PROVISIONS

Toledo, March 28.—Closing prices:
Wheat—Cash 1.20 1/2; May 1.27 1/2; July 1.32 1/2.
Corn—Cash 1.20 1/2; May 1.21; July 1.21 1/2.
Oats—Cash 68c; May 63 1/2; July 60 1/2.
Rye—Cash 81 1/2.
Cloverseed—Cash 81 1/2; March 81.07 1/2; April 81.15 1/2; Oct. 80.75.
Alfalfa—Prime and March 21.50.

Timothy—Cash and March 22 1/2.
Butter—Brick creamery 42c; tub creamery 41 1/2.
Eggs—Fresh candled 36c; fancy select 35c.
Hay—Unchanged.

LIVE STOCK MARKET CHICAGO

Union Stock Yards, Ill., March 28.—Hogs—Receipts 34,000; market slow and weak; mixed and butchers 24 1/2 to 25 1/2; good heavy 24 1/2 to 25 1/2; rough heavy 24 1/2 to 25 1/2; light 24 1/2 to 25 1/2; pigs 24 1/2 to 25 1/2.
Cattle—Receipts 17,000; market steady to 1/2c lower; butchers 20 1/2 to 21 1/2; cows and heifers 19 1/2 to 20 1/2; stockers and feeders 19 1/2 to 20 1/2; Texas 19 1/2 to 20 1/2; calves 19 1/2 to 20 1/2; westerns 19 1/2 to 20 1/2.
Sheep—Receipts 16,000; market steady to 1/2c lower; native 14 1/2 to 15 1/2; western 14 1/2 to 15 1/2; lambs, native 14 1/2 to 15 1/2; western 14 1/2 to 15 1/2.

CINCINNATI

Cincinnati, March 28.—Cattle—Receipts 600; market steady; shippers 20 1/2 to 21 1/2. Calves—Receipts none; market strong; extra 21 1/2 to 22 1/2.
Hogs—Receipts 4,000; market slow, steady to 1/2c lower; good to choice packers and butchers 21 1/2 to 22 1/2. Sheep—Receipts 13; market steady; extra 14 1/2 to 15 1/2.
Lamb—Market steady; extra 14 1/2 to 15 1/2.

CLEVELAND

Cleveland, March 28.—Hogs—Receipts 12,000; market steady; Yorkers 21 1/2; mixed 21 1/2 to 22 1/2; mediums 21 1/2 to 22 1/2; pigs 21 1/2 to 22 1/2; roughs 21 1/2 to 22 1/2. Cattle—Receipts 8 cars; market steady to 1/2c lower.
Sheep and Lamb—Receipts none.
Calves—Receipts 250; market steady; top 24 1/2.

PITTSBURGH

Pittsburgh, March 28.—Cattle—Receipts light; market steady; choicer 21 1/2 to 22 1/2; good 21 1/2 to 22 1/2; fair 20 1/2 to 21 1/2; veal calves 24 1/2 to 25 1/2. Sheep and Lamb—Receipts light; market steady; prime, westerns 21 1/2 to 22 1/2; good 21 1/2 to 22 1/2; fair mixed 20 1/2 to 21 1/2; clipped sheep 20 1/2 to 21 1/2; clipped lambs 20 1/2 to 21 1/2. Hogs—Receipts light; market steady; prime heavy hogs 21 1/2 to 22 1/2; mediums 21 1/2 to 22 1/2; heavy Yorkers 21 1/2 to 22 1/2; light Yorkers 21 1/2 to 22 1/2; pigs 21 1/2 to 22 1/2; roughs 21 1/2 to 22 1/2. Calves—Market steady.
Sheep and Lamb—Market steady.

TOLEDO

Toledo, March 28.—Hogs—Receipts light; market steady; heavy and mediums 21 1/2 to 22 1/2; Yorkers 21 1/2 to 22 1/2; good pigs 21 1/2 to 22 1/2. Calves—Market steady.
Sheep and Lamb—Market steady.

EAST BUFFALO

East Buffalo, March 28.—Cattle—Receipts 250; market fairly active, steady; prints steers 21 1/2 to 22 1/2; butcher grades 21 1/2 to 22 1/2; cows 21 1/2 to 22 1/2. Calves—Receipts 400; market active, 3/4c higher; cull to choice 20 1/2 to 21 1/2. Sheep and Lamb—Receipts 300; market active, 1/2c higher; cull to choice 19 1/2 to 20 1/2. Hogs—Receipts 2,000; market active 3/4c higher; Yorkers 21 1/2 to 22 1/2; pigs 21 1/2 to 22 1/2; mixed 21 1/2 to 22 1/2; heavy 21 1/2 to 22 1/2; roughs 21 1/2 to 22 1/2. Sheep—Receipts 100; market active 3/4c higher; cull to choice 19 1/2 to 20 1/2. Yearlings 19 1/2 to 20 1/2.

PRODUCE MARKETS NEW YORK

New York, March 28.—Flour—Market quiet and stronger.
Pork—Strong; mess 33 1/2 to 34 1/2. Lard—Quiet; middling spot 20 1/2 to 21 1/2.
Tallow—Firm; special 13; city 12 1/2; country 12 1/2 to 13.
Hay—Quiet; No. 1 81 1/2 to 82 1/2; No. 2 80 1/2 to 81 1/2; No. 3 79 1/2 to 80 1/2.
Dressed Poultry—Strong; turkeys 18 1/2 to 19 1/2; chickens 16 1/2 to 17 1/2; fowls 16 1/2 to 17 1/2.
Live Poultry—Unsettled; geese 15 1/2 to 16 1/2; ducks 22 1/2 to 23 1/2; turkeys 17 1/2 to 18 1/2; chickens 16 1/2 to 17 1/2; fowls 16 1/2 to 17 1/2.
Cheese—Steady; state milk, common to specials 24 1/2 to 25 1/2; skims, common to specials 10 1/2 to 11 1/2.
Butter—Firm; receipts 615; creamery extra 42 1/2 to 43 1/2; special market 43 1/2 to 44 1/2; state dairy tubs 31 1/2 to 32 1/2; imitation creamery, fests 41 1/2 to 42 1/2.
Eggs—Firm; receipts 30,198; nearby white fancy 36 1/2 to 37 1/2; nearby mixed fancy 35 1/2 to 36 1/2; fresh firsts 31 1/2 to 32 1/2.

CHICAGO

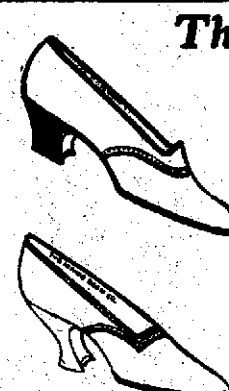
Chicago, March 28.—Butter—Creamery extras 40 1/2; extra firsts 39 1/2 to 40 1/2; firsts 38 1/2 to 39 1/2; seconds 37 1/2 to 38 1/2. Eggs—Ordinary 26 1/2 to 27 1/2; firsts 26 1/2 to 27 1/2; seconds 25 1/2 to 26 1/2. Potatoes—Receipts 13 cars; Minn. and Wis. 12 1/2 to 13 1/2; fancy westerns 12 1/2 to 13 1/2.
Live Poultry—Fowls 23c; ducks 17 1/2 to 18 1/2; geese 12 1/2 to 13 1/2; spring chickens 23c; turkeys 25c.

CLEVELAND

Cleveland, March 28.—Apples—Hand picked 18 1/2 to 19 1/2 per bushel. Potatoes—22 1/2 to 23 1/2 per bushel. Butter—Creamery extra 42 1/2 to 43 1/2; special market 43 1/2 to 44 1/2; state dairy tubs 31 1/2 to 32 1/2; imitation creamery, fests 41 1/2 to 42 1/2.
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BALTIMORE

Baltimore, March 28.—Butter—Fancy creamery 40c; store packed 29c. Eggs—Nearby 25c; westerns 26c.



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\$1.30	\$1.40	\$1.40	\$1.40
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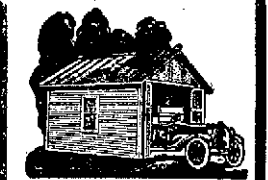
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WANTED:—To rent 5 or 6 room house, centrally located. Phone 1214-L. 28-1f

WANTED:—Painters. All round mechanics who are first class on automobile bodies. Steady work for first class men only. Wages from 35 to 37½ cents per hour. The John Humel & Sons Co., Columbus, Ohio. 28-3f

WANTED:—Man as gardener. Good wages, apply at Charles Walter, Blvd. 28-4f

WANTED:—Experienced girl for general house work, one who can go home nights. Phone 228. 1221 Ninth St. 28-1f

NOTICE:—If any one has seen Van Heid this week Phone 1720-H. 28-2f

WANTED:—Man for delivery truck. Bragdon Dry Goods Co. 28-4f

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WANTED:—At once, experienced saleslady for millinery department. Pepper's One to 25c store. 28-1f

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New 6 room bungalow, high street, near Seventeenth, bath, reception hall, bath, gas and electricity, furnace, hardwood floors and finish, \$300 cash, balance easy terms \$3900
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Large 5 room cottage McDonnell avenue near Robinson, bath, pantry, porches, large lot \$3000
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Large new 6 room brick house on Walnut street near Terminals and steel plant, bath, large basement, fine gas and electric fixtures, large porches, collumades, large lot \$500 cash, balance as rent \$3300
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ROME, GA., CLAIMS

THE ARMOR PLANT

According to a telegram received at fronton from a news service Wednesday a message was sent out of Rome, Ga., that the new \$11,000,000 government armor plate plant would be located in that city, the official announcement to be made later. At Washington the story was emphatically denied.

Suffers Out Over Eye
Ralph Webster, aged 14, tried to board an N. & W. freight train near Seventeenth and Chillicothe streets Wednesday afternoon and was thrown to the street, receiving a deep cut over his left eye. Webster's parents live on Fourteenth street.

Work was begun Monday remodeling the room occupied by William Isham's barber shop, 421 Front street, by Alfred Ray, owner of the property. Mr. Ray will establish a garage and store room and expects to have the room ready in two weeks. He is owner of

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ENGLISH WAR LOAN

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various parts of the country, he
said, he was astonished at the en-
thusiasm shown.

"I never had seen anything like
it, not at the most enthusiastic
party meetings," he declared.

"This spirit of the people had the
greatest effect on the people of
means. The spontaneity with
which the poor people gave their
little would have made it impos-
sible for the wealthy to withhold
the needed big contribution, if
even they had been so minded."

Search through London news-
papers "morgues" had revealed
that his biographers unanimously
agreed that Law never had coin-
ed an epigram. Yet he was the
author of the appeal:

"Are you going to give your
sons and not your money?"

"What Mr. Wilson is longing
for, we are fighting for."

"It is impossible for German
nature to understand human na-
ture."

All in this loan campaign.

"How about it?" he was asked.

"Well, perhaps, the war has
changed me. I sometimes think it
has changed all England."

Despite the naturally high im-
portance which he attaches to the
financial side of the war, the
chancellor is not convinced that
it necessarily is the controlling
factor.

"The allies, it goes without say-
ing, have greater financial re-
sources than the Central Powers,"
he observed.

"But as long as a country has
credit it can fight. Germany's
resources financially and other-
wise, are particularly confined in
her borders. But there is no evi-
dence that Germany has lost or is
likely soon to lose her credit with
her own people. Her other re-
sources may give way sooner.

Austria is less able to support her-
self alone, but even Austria is a
country of great productivity.

Turkey and Bulgaria, of course,
are being supported by the other
two.

"If it becomes solely a question
of staying power—financial and
industrial staying power—the al-
lies victory is certain. We have
the resources."

"Has the effect of America's
possible entry been considered?"

"America's resources are great-
er than those of any of the allies,
but it is outside the province of
a number of the English govern-
ment to discuss America's possi-
ble action. We have steadily re-
frained from doing so. But if it
becomes a question of staying
power, it is obvious American re-
sources could make all the differ-
ence in the world."

FAVOR UNIVERSAL TRAINING BILL

Ann Arbor, Mich., March 28.—
Declaring the country is in a state
of war, 280 Michigan school su-
perintendents, in session here,
were on record today as favoring
immediate enactment by congress
of a universal military training
bill.

With all pre-congress prepared-
ness steps now practically taken,
the big question of voluntary con-
scription hinged today on what
the president will say next Tues-
day when he addresses the joint ses-
sion.

The congressional temper evident
among early arrivals was "forgo
back home." While this temper

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CONSTANT HEADACHES

People with thin blood are much more
subject to headaches than full-blooded
persons and the form of anemia that af-
fects growing girls is almost always ac-
companied by headache together with
digestive disturbances and constipation.

Whenever you have constant or re-
curring headaches and pain in the
face they should be directed towards
building up your blood. A treatment
with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills will do
this effectively and the rich, red blood
will remove the headache.

More disturbances to health are
caused by thin blood than you have any
idea of. When the blood is impover-
ished the nerves suffer from lack of
nourishment and you may have in-
somnia, neuritis, neuralgia or sciatica.

Muscles subject to strain are under-
nourished and you may have muscular
rheumatism or lumbago. If your blood
is thin and you begin to show symp-
toms of these disorders try building up
the blood with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills
and see if the symptoms do not disap-
pear as the blood is restored to normal.

Get Dr. Williams' Pink Pills at the
nearest drug store or send fifty cents to
the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Schen-
ectady, N. Y. The booklet "Building
Up the Blood" is free on request.

Armored Cars

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main road from Coney to Sois-
sons.

Berlin, (via Sayville wireless).—
March 28.—The day was quiet for
the majority of the forces on the
western front, according to the
official German war office state-
ment today. Only minor actions
took place on the Somme and Oise.

"The success in which German
troops are accomplishing their
tasks," said the statement, "is il-
lustrated by the fact that more
than one thousand English dead
were counted between Lagnicourt
and Morehies in the engagements
Monday. Near La Fere Tuesday
the French lost sanguinarily and
failed to advance.

"In Champagne south of Ri-
pont some French trenches were
captured. There and south of St.
Souplet near Tahure 300 French
were taken prisoners and several
machine guns and mine throwers
captured. North of Reims and in
Argonne hostile reconnoitering
detachments were driven back.

"In the Carpathians spring
thaws have made large actions im-
possible. Supplies captured in the
Shtshara engagements now to-
tal twenty mine throwers and
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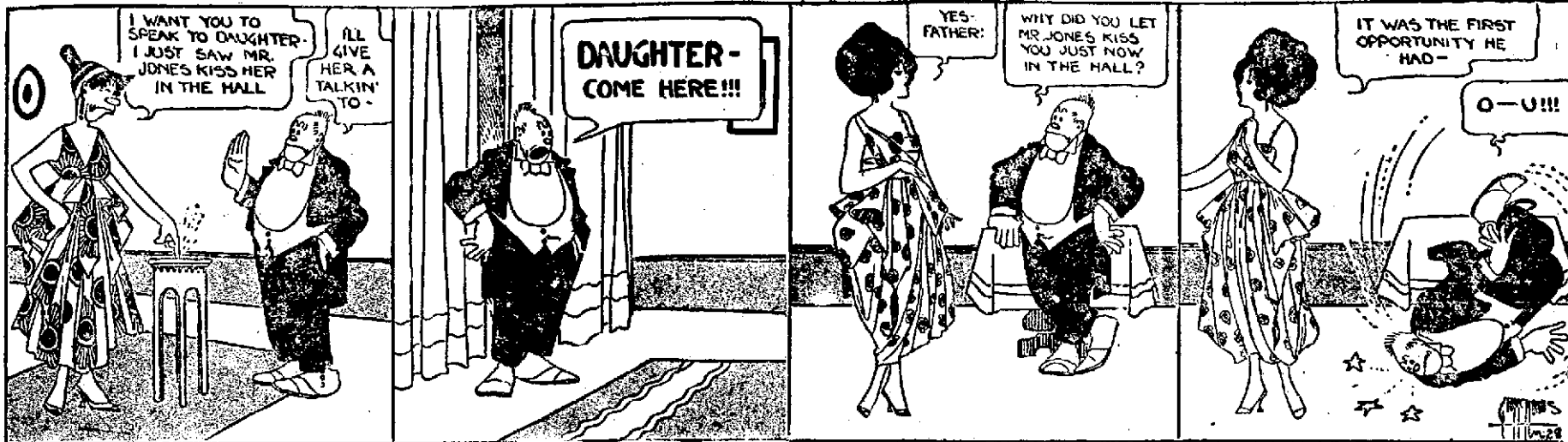
Stone, chairman of the foreign
relations committee, is really more
of an enigma than the president's
forthcoming message. Reports
here today are that Stone will
fight openly and bitterly against
any more war-like move than has
already been taken against Ger-
many. Whether he will go so far
as he did in regard to the armed
ship resolution and abandon his
committee leadership to Senator
Hitchcock is producing a lot of
speculation. Talk today is that
the house will show itself more
ready to do the president's bid-
ding than the senate.

WILL PAY EMPLOYEES

Chicago, March 28.—Several
big Chicago firms are on record
today as promising that, in the
event of

Drunk Again

Enjoy yourself. Peerless Skating
Rink. Open every night except
Monday. 26-6t



1. *Journal of the American Medical Association*, 2000; 283: 2669-2674.

Defense Committee Is Named For City

A National Defense committee was named by Vallee Harold, president of the Board of Trade, Wednesday, to assist in the preparation for eventualities. It will have charge of all plans for recruiting, from the civilian standpoint, and will assist the local company and will help in any way the federal or state authorities desire.

The patriotic spirit of Portsmouth is plainly shown by this move on the part of the business men of the city.

Representative citizens were named on this committee, which comprises: George D. Selby, Frank V. Knapp, Albert Zoellner, W. B. Anderson, Edward T. Reed, L. C. Turley, Samuel Horchow, George A. Goodman and Ben G. Harris.

FOR THROAT AND LUNGS
Eckman's
Alterative
SOLD BY ALL LEADING DRUGGISTS

K. of P.
Contest

Peerless Lodge K. of P. will meet Thursday evening with Massie K. of P. lodge. The Peerless Degree Team will confer the third degree of Knight rank on one candidate at this meeting. This will be the Peerless Team's demonstration in the District K. of P. Degree Team Contest. The team will go into the contest confident that they will come out victorious. All members of Peerless Lodge should meet at their hall, Clay and Robinson avenue, Thursday evening, at 8 o'clock.

To Build Home
Dr. A. A. Wicoff of New Boston will soon build an eight room house in that village. The Portsmouth Construction company will build it.

Bad Pains?

Do you suffer from pains, dragging sensations, irregularities, backache, headache, neuralgia, etc. If so, take Cardui, the woman's tonic. It will tone up your nervous system, and help to make you well and strong.

TAKE

Cardui

The Woman's Tonic

Mrs. Blanche Ashcraft, of Guyville, Ohio, says: "For nine years, I was a constant sufferer from womanly trouble. Had severe pains in my head and sides, and was very nervous. At times, could scarcely walk across the floor. After taking ten bottles of Cardui, am now enjoying good health. Cardui has been a blessing to me."

Try Cardui for your troubles. E.B.S.

MOTHERS

who want their children correctly and tastefully dressed on Easter morning or any other morning will buy a pair of Patent Roman Sandals, whether it is for the little tot or the young Miss.

WHAT

you want to be careful about is getting the right kind and our Roman Sandals this season are correct. They can be worn with all colors of stockings and make a beautiful combination. This

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a style I am recommending and the quality is right.

PRETTIER

shoes will be hard to find.

Frank J. Baker

The Sleepless Shoeman
Footfitter to the Entire Family

845 Gallia

Women Meet To Aid In Prohibition Work

Close to 75 women interested in the organization of a Woman's Dry Federation for Scioto County, which will work in conjunction with the Scioto County Dry Federation, met in the basement of Trinity church Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. C. C. Coverston presided as temporary chairman and explained the purpose of the meeting. She explained that the W. C. T. U. was a separate organization from the dry federation and that the W. C. T. U. would continue to look after their part in prohibition work.

The main speaker of the afternoon was Judge F. S. Sikes, of the men's dry organization, who told how the county was divided into precincts and how these precincts were to be divided into smaller districts. "More personal work is needed," said Judge Sikes. "We have to depend largely on personal work and women can use their influence as well as the men in this line of work," said the speaker, who also told of the results of Prohibition in the state of Washington. He suggested an organization that would reach throughout the county. He explained that one of the main things that could be done by women was the proper distribution of Prohibition literature.

Rapp Home Is Destroyed

The five-room cottage belonging to William Rapp, carpenter, in Nauvoo, burned to the ground today shortly after noon and none of the contents were saved. No one was in the house when the fire started, and the origin is thought to have been in a defective flue in the kitchen.

Mrs. Rapp, who was some distance from the house feeding pigs, returned to the house to find it filled with smoke and flames. The outside doors were all closed. Most of the men of the neighborhood were in Portsmouth and the house burned before any efforts could be made to save it. The high wind increased the danger to nearby buildings.

Mr. Rapp came from Portsmouth as soon as he received word of the fire, but has not estimated his loss. The house was insured. It is probable that he will rebuild. He and his wife and three children will stay at the home of his father, J. S. Rapp, in that neighborhood. (His eldest daughter, Miss Hazel Rapp, is employed at the Selby Shoe Company and lives at the Y. W. C. A.)

The Hazlebeck company will insure you. 819 Gallia street. adv

To Boost G. O. P. Club

Plans for increasing the membership of the Scioto County Republican club will be discussed at a meeting of the organization, to be held at the club rooms, Gallia street, this evening. Henry Becker, president, has asked that all members attend.

Representatives from every precinct in the city are expected to be at the meeting.

Marriage Licenses
Fred Ewing, 23, brickman, Cincinnati to Rosa Arthur, 20, housekeeper. Squire A. J. Finney.

Richard Gillman, 21, N. & W. employee to Jessie Keibler, 21, laundry worker. Squire John W. Byron.

Charles O. Massa, 28, machinist to Nora Heffner, 23, clerk. Rev. C. Lloyd Strecker.

Walker Finds Wheel
Police Captain Roma Walker recently found a Westminster bicycle, which he took to the police station. The wheel can be obtained by the owner by calling and identifying it.

BIRTHS
A daughter was born recently to Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Tilley at their home, 1734 Waller street. Mr. Tilley is the local representative of Washburn-Crosby company.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Lindsey, 1634 Highland street, are the parents of a 10 pound daughter, born Monday. Mr. Lindsey is employed by the Gilbert S. Monroe Company.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. James Long, who live near Fullerton, Tuesday night. Mr. Long is a farmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Jenkins, of South Webster, are the proud parents of a baby boy who arrived Tuesday morning. Mr. Jenkins is employed at the South Webster Brick company.

Drink Hot Water
With Meals To Stop
Stomach Disorders

Thousands of unfortunate people suffer almost daily from dyspepsia, indigestion, fermentation, sour, acid stomach, flatulence, gases or distress after eating due to untimely or unwholesome food. They would only form the agreeable habit of slowly drinking before each meal a glassful of hot water containing a teaspoonful of pure bisulphate of magnesia many sufferers would soon find their stomachs so strengthened and improved that they might eat satisfying meals without the least symptoms of indigestion.

In nearly all untimely conditions of the stomach, there is apt to be an insufficient blood supply allowing the food to ferment and cause before digestion can take place. A glass of hot water before meals will draw the blood to the stomach, thus promoting action and liberating magnesia for their help in its solvent action on the mucus that still is so far from the natural secretion of the digestive juices, so that the food contents will not ferment. Easy natural digestion without distress of any kind is the result sought. Bisulphate of Magnesia is not a laxative, is harmless, pleasant and easy to take and can be obtained from any local druggist. Do not confuse Bisulphate of Magnesia with other forms of magnesia—milk, citrates, etc., but get it in the pure bisulphate form (powder or tablets) especially prepared for this purpose.

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A SHIRT SALE

That Comes Just Right!



Ordinarily, sales are held at the end of a season, or at a time when the goods offered for sale are practically worthless so far as instant use is concerned.

But Here Comes a Sale Right in Season!

Made possible because of too much stock. Taking the advice of many of the big shirt manufacturers of the country, no shirt sale was held by this store during the late winter. Hence, after inventory, I find that I have too many shirts on hand and I propose to put such prices on them that they will move with a rush. IT IS A CLEAN-UP CAMPAIGN, and when the men of Portsmouth learn that practically every shirt in the allotment bears the ARROW label they will more fully appreciate the wonderful values and the splendid opportunity of saving a considerable sum on their shirt bills.

Arrow brand shirts are guaranteed fast colors; Arrow Brand shirts are hand tailored and recognized all over the land as the best shirt made. Arrow Shirts are exclusive in pattern and neat in design; Arrow Shirts fit perfectly and wear well.

Sale Starts Thursday, March 28, and Continues Ten Days, Coming to a Close on Saturday, April 7

Those who are the least bit acquainted with the markets, fully realize that goods are advancing by leaps and bounds. The thrifty person will lay in a whole year's supply of shirts at the prices offered. In fact, the prices quoted are below the wholesale price—far below and were I to attempt to place an order for these shirts I would be compelled to pay a price far in excess at what I am offering them to the public.

Included in this lot are soft and stiff cuffs, pleated, soft and stiff bosoms, regular value \$1.00 and \$1.25. Sale price..... **75c**

\$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.50 values. Choice..... **\$1.15**

These shirts come in Percales, Madras, Soisette and Japanese Crepes, sizes from 13 1-2 to 17.

Corner Fifth and Chillicothe Sts.

New Spring Overcoats

Always something new Watch my Windows

Chillicothe Street Corner Fifth

Armas.

United States in the event of an American-German war. British officials are co-operating in this work in every possible manner.

In the event of war it is understood American consuls will be sent to London to co-operate with the British consuls.

London, March 28.—Queries concerning a Canadian liner reported recently sunk" the number of casualties, and whether the ship was mined or torpedoed were asked of the government by the Irish Nationalist Ginnell in the house of commons today.

Secretary of the Admiralty McNamar replied such information "was not in the public interest" and refused to disclose whether an inquiry was to be instituted.

The only Canadian liner known to have been sunk recently was the Lacombe. Presumably, however, the report refers to some other Canadianer not heretofore mentioned.

Akron, O., March 28.—The United States government will assume full control of the B. F. Goodrich Rubber Company in event of war with Germany, it was announced today. Government officials have been several days assisting in the taking of inventories and forming a naval reserve of 1,000 men among factory employees.

These 1,000 men have been enlisted for four years' service in the factory at a maximum of 12 hours per day. They are to receive \$1 per day from the government and in the event of hostilities will receive full pay on a rating of present piece work prices.

Head officials of the company said they had been sworn to secrecy concerning government plans and could not disclose the details of the transfer.

Buenos Aires, March 28.—Pro Allies in Argentina frankly stated their belief that there are German influences behind the Argentine government's wheat embargo. The English newspaper Herald declared it believed that "President Frigoretti unquestionably acted in good faith; but we suspect subtle influences contributed to his decision."

Columbus, O., March 28.—An effort will be made to organize at once a new regiment of infantry in eastern Ohio, the adjutant general's office

SOUNDS WARNING—SAYS GERMANY HAS EVEN CHANCE OF WINNING WAR

New York, March 28.—Warning that Germany has an even chance of winning the war, sounded by Rear Admiral Fiske, retired; a parade of sailors and marines and enlistment of women as aides in recruiting stations revealed the intensity of the recruiting campaign here today. Fiske's address approved by the navy department, warned that the Central Powers lead in the war and may win, thereby paving the way for sending their fleet here after the war. The German navy, he declared, is twice as powerful as ours.

Entire confidence is expressed here of Russia's troops being able to withstand German assaults. The weather favors the defenders, spring thaws having loosened the ground to an appreciable extent, making progress of an attacking army difficult over muddy ground.

The system of food supplying which has relieved the shortage here in Petrograd was today being extended throughout the large cities of Russia.

Evidencing the new spirit in the army, dispatches from the southwestern front today told of a great demonstration accorded General Brusiloff on his taking the oath with his troops of loyalty to the new provisional government.

Brusiloff personally received his troops and witnessed their repledging of fealty.

Then his men carried him on their shoulders to army headquarters. There great red shields were brought out, inscribed: "Those in the rear conquered a dynasty; we at the front will conquer the enemy. Long live Brusiloff, the nation's hero."

Architects Ritter and Bates Wednesday were commissioned to prepare plans for a new \$20,000 brick and stone church for the Pt. Pleasant, W. Va., Episcopal church. Rev. T. T. Magee is pastor of this congregation.

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ALWAYS USE
STEARNS' ELECTRIC PASTE
U. S. Government Buys It
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Washington, D. C., March 28.—That the United States has made informal inquiry of General Carranza concerning German activities in Mexico was indicated by state department officials this afternoon. It was admitted that the department had heard "rumors" concerning massing of Germans at Torreon and elsewhere.

OBITUARY

Mrs. Whitaker Funeral
The funeral of Mrs. Leticia Whitaker, who died at the home of her cousin, Mrs. Charles Sexton, 106 Union street Monday afternoon, will be held Thursday morning from the Sexton home at ten o'clock with Rev. Charles Diamond in charge. Burial will be made in Greenlawn.

Willie A. Roberts
Death Tuesday afternoon claimed Willie A. Roberts, five year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Roberts, 523, rear, Seventh street. The boy had been ill a short time with meningitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Roberts have four other children. The father is a steel plant employee. The funeral will be held Thursday afternoon from the Old Town church on the West Side with burial in Williamson cemetery, Dry Run.

Mrs. W. E. Garrison Funeral
The funeral of Mrs. W. E. Garrison, who died early Tuesday morning, will be held from the home of her daughter, Mrs. John E. Kah, 609 Seventh street, Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with Rev. Charles R. Oakley of the First Christian church in charge. Burial will be made in Greenlawn cemetery.

Philip Flaker
Mr. and Mrs. Lee Flaker and son Dennis, and Mrs. John Stetinger and daughter, June, have returned from Jackson, where they attended the funeral of their uncle, Philip Flaker, of Jackson county who died Saturday, March 24. The deceased was 61 years of age at the time of death. He leaves four brothers, Jacob Flaker of Portsmouth, John Flaker of Missouri, Fred Flaker of Cove Station, O. and Henry Flaker of Jackson county, and one sister, Mrs. Nina Gahn of Jackson county. The funeral was held Tuesday morning at St. John's church, Jackson county with Rev. Mr. Stone of Jackson officiating.

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A funeral whose dignified beauty appeals to those who have lost a friend or relative will be furnished by us with the respect that these persons wish to show the deceased.

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\$1.50 House Dresses 98c Of good percale and ging- hams, sizes to 32 98c	\$1.25 Muslin Gowns 79c Nicely trimmed with em- broidery, sizes to 20 79c	\$1.00 Petticoats 69c Muslin petticoats, nicely em- broided, extra sizes. For 69c
Women's 19c Hose 14c Reinforced toe and heel. Out or extra sizes 14c	25c Gamsse Vests 19c Women's Lisle finish gamsse vests, extra sizes 19c	35c Corset Covers 29c Beautifully embroidered and ribbon trimmed, sizes to 32 29c
35c Lisle Hose 29c Women's silk lisle hose of best quality, out or extra sizes 29c	\$1.75 Miller Corsets \$1.19 Extra size reinforced corsets, sizes to 38 \$1.19	65c Brassieres 44c Beautifully embroidered bras- sieres, sizes to 46 44c
35c Brassieres 23c Good quality brassieres, embroi- dered, sizes to 48 23c	\$1.50 Petticoats 98c Pretty muslin petticoats in extra sizes 98c	\$1.50 Gowns 98c Extra sizes with long sleeves and high neck 98c
Extra Size Skirts Save about 25 per cent on extra size skirts at \$5.98, \$4.98, \$3.98 and \$2.98	\$20 Spring Coats \$14.45 In extra sizes, of navy, conservative, stout styles, cotton, brown and dark green for \$14.95	\$10 Dresses \$7.98 French serge dresses in extra sizes, conservative- ly styled \$7.98
35c Hose 24c "Bursen" balbriggan out size women's hose 24c	Women's 45c gamsse Union Suits, sizes to 6 at 33c	



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Miss Dolly Wise

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the needy in Europe; charity doctors in case of sickness; relief committees for the flood sufferers; Vincent Aitor's \$10,000 gift to the survivors of the Titanic; George M. Cohen, paying \$5,000 for one paper, and other charity acts too numerous to mention. Now Miss Dolly, we would like for you to appoint a committee to investigate the wants of our country commissioners. If its money they need, please have some theatre manager give an evening's performance for them. If its courage, turn them loose in a bunch of sixteen-year-old girls. If its brains, send them over to see the Kaiser. Our bridge over Hales Creek at Herbert Station washed out three months ago and has never washed back in yet. We farmers got hungry the same as anybody else. And if we need a doctor, we need one who will come to see us. Hoping all of our commissioners will soon be able to navigate, I remain,

LYRA FARMER.

Dear Dolly—What is the correct weight of a person according to height? JEANETTE.

One's weight is determined by their age and height. If you will give me these I will tell you your minimum and maximum weight.

Dear Miss Wise—Please tell me the name of the largest city in West Virginia? Also which is the largest Huntington or Charleston? A READER.

Wheeler, with a population of 42,817, is the largest city in West Virginia. Huntington is next, with 41,515, and Charleston third, with 27,708. These figures are based on the 1914 Census.

Dear Dolly—Would you please print in your column which is used most for light, gas or electricity? I want to know.

One is used about as much as the other. A great many people use both.

Dear Dolly—How can I obtain the address of the Newell Pharmaceutical Co.

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Be Sure to Save This Recipe

COCONUT CUSTARD PIE

1 can of BAKER'S Fresh Grated Coconut, 1/2 cupful of sugar, 1/2 cupful of milk, 1 egg, 1/2 cupful of salt.

Beat eggs, milk, sugar and salt together, add can of coconut, pour into pie tin lined with pie crust. Bake in moderate oven on bottom rack thirty to thirty-five minutes, or until set. Fry with silver knife; if it is loose out dry the pie is done. If the custard is too thick, add enough cold water well mixed, to make it pour. The coconut should be separated from the milk and the milk should be added to the custard. This will make a high edge on the pie.

Sift one cupful of flour, pinch of salt into bowl; add two level table-spoonfuls of baking powder and two other spoonfuls of sugar in lightly sifted well mixed, add enough cold water well mixed, to make it pour. The coconut should be separated from the milk and the milk should be added to the custard. This will make a high edge on the pie.

P. S. Pastry flour is best.

Complete Recipe Collection Request

BAKER'S Fresh Grated Coconut in the Original Milk in Cans, Not in Paper Packages NOT a Dehydrated Coconut

You will find in each can of Baker's Fresh Grated Coconut the juicy meat of selected nuts, grated and packed in the original milk. All the rich, nutty flavor is preserved—it is not the unsatisfactory dehydrated coconut.

Recipe Booklet on Request

FRANKLIN BAKER COMPANY
Dept. NP
Philadelphia, Pa.

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QUESTIONER

If any reader remembers the address of this remedy, please notify this department.

Oak Hill—Dear Miss Wise—I am 18 years of age and am light complexioned and have blue eyes and light hair. Do you think I am pretty? I have been going with a fellow 19 years old. He is a nice young man and I like him real well, but I saw somebody else I like better, and every time I mention anything about quitting him he goes to crying and says if I quit him there will be a funeral right away. What would you advise me to do? BLUE EYES.

It isn't necessary to quit him. You can be friends with both, can't you?

Dear Miss Wise—Please answer this question: "Where do flies really come from?"

ENQUIRER

Flies come straight to our homes from the manure pile, water closets and spittoons covered with germs and filth. They walk on our bread and wash their dirty feet in our milk and wipe them in the sugar bowl. The fly sure is a very aristocratic insect. Few moderns can afford a milk bath. That was reserved for the ancients of Rome. Today it is the fly who has one, and tomorrow we are wondering where baby got its sickness. See that the baby's cradle is screened. Screen the pantry. Swat every fly you see. Remember, one dead fly today means 100 less flies in Portsmouth tomorrow. Give the baby a chance and don't forget what other cities have done, Portsmouth can and will do—better.

in California? They are manufacturers of a preparation to destroy the craving for tobacco. It was of great benefit to a dear one of mine and I am very anxious to secure it for another.

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Advance Showing of Easter Millinery

WE ARE SUBSCRIBERS TO THE Gage Weekly Service

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UNIQUE AND DISTINCTIVE STYLES in MILLINERY

A Style Review of New GAGE Hats which have just arrived

To see them is to want them! The GAGE Weekly Service enables us to show you styles that are exclusive. Every woman wants something "different". We have it! **COME AND SEE THESE NEW MODELS.**

Mrs. Anne Reis

1005 GALLIA STREET

NOTICE TO SICK WOMEN

Positive Proof That Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Relieves Suffering.

Bridgeport, N.J.—"I cannot speak too highly of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for inflammation and other weaknesses. I was very irregular and would have terrible pains so that I could hardly take a step. Sometimes I would be so miserable that I could not sleep a room. I doctored part of the time but felt no change. I later took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and soon felt a change for the better. I took it until I was in good healthy condition. I recommend the Pinkham remedies to all women as I have used them with such good results."—Mrs. MARGARET CAMPBELL, 322 Harmony St., Penn's Grove, N.J.

Such testimony should be accepted by all women as convincing evidence of the excellence of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound as a remedy for the distressing ills of women such as displacements, inflammation, ulceration, backache, painful periods, nervousness and kindred ailments.

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TIMES SERVICE PATTERN 2007

A NEAT AND BECOMING MODEL IN ONE-PIECE STYLE

2007. Girls' One-Piece Dress, with Sleeve in Wrist or Elbow Length.

This style is good for percale, chambray, gingham, serge, gabardine, flannel, lawn and linen. The closing is at the side. The neck is cut in square outline. The sleeve may be in wrist or elbow length. The pattern is cut in 4 sizes: 4, 6, 8 and 10 years. It requires 3 3/4 yards of 36-inch material for a 6-year size.

A pattern of this illustration mailed to any address on receipt of 10 cents in silver or stamps.

COUPON

This pattern will be sent on receipt of 10 cents. Make number, name, address, etc. plain. Send to Pattern Department, Portsmouth Daily Times, Portsmouth, Ohio.

No. 2007 Size Age (for child) Street and Number Name City State

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SOCIETY

The Second Presbyterian Woman's Missionary Society met in regular monthly session yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Harry Schirrmann, where the new officers were installed as follows:

President—Mrs. Isabel Thomas.
Vice-President—Mrs. Henry Smith.
Secretary—Mrs. Homer Fry.
Treasurer—Mrs. Fred Baker.
Secretary of Literature—Mrs. C. C. Bothwell.
Secretary of Extension—Mrs. Charles Zull.

The program follows:

The Home topic, "Immigrants," was in charge of Mrs. Charles Zull, assisted by Mrs. Fred Baker and Mrs. G. T. Elliott.

Foreign—"Japan," in charge of Mrs. W. G. Williams, who had several young girls, Helen Dowling, Margaret Morgan, Katherine Mockintosh and Margaret Stahler, attired in Japanese costumes. Margaret Stahler and Katherine Mockintosh rendered a vocal selection with piano accompaniment by Helen Dowling.

Maria Morgan gave an interesting recitation.

Mrs. George McClure, of the Ketchum Auxiliary, gave an instructive talk on Japan.

At the end of the program the hostesses served refreshments.

The Sodalis Club held an enjoyable meeting Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Fred Monson, on Vinson avenue. Ten members were present. At the end of the afternoon's pleasures the hostesses served a dainty two course luncheon. The favors were corsage bouquets of sweet peas. Miss Myrtle Sowers will be hostess at the next meeting.

Miss Ladora White entertained the B. B. I. last evening with a theatre party at the Lyric, followed by refreshments at the Greeks. Those present were: Misses Erma Schirrmann, Eloise Hicks, Helen Hosz, Ruby Heberlin, Helen Rowe, Helen Keyes, Bessie and Pauline Mick. The only absent member was Miss Grace Adams. The next meeting will be held at the home of Miss Pauline Mick.

The Woman's Home Missionary Society of Trinity Methodist church met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Henry Amberg, on Ninth street, where there were over thirty present. The assisting hostesses were Mesdames J. J. Cranston, Hattie Jenkins, George Beumler, R. H. Dyer, L. A. Zucker, J. B. Rice, B. F. Royce, Clara Foster and J. J. Gehres. The devotions were in charge of Mrs. Dennison. Mrs. Royce gave a reading; Mrs. Howard Sellards gave Enigmas and Mrs. Coleman read a chapter in the text-book, after which refreshments were served.

Mrs. O. T. Heberlin and daughter, Miss Ruby Heberlin, left today for Huntington to visit relatives for a few days.

Mrs. Henry Rogers, of Third street, left today for a visit with friends in Rocky Mount, N. C.

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Averages Of Scout Basketball Players

Here are the final averages of the Moon				3	11	273
players in the Boy Scout Baseball				F. Davis	2	8
league, which recently wound up a				R. Hopkins	1	5
singularly successful season:				L. Davis	1	5
FIELD GOALS				Blake	5	24
Wagner	32	R. Williams	3	16	187	
Fortner	47	C. Williams	1	6	166	
A. Doll	41	Blair	4	22	166	
R. Hopkins	37	Eppenstein	2	15	133	
R. Williams	25	Bellamy	0	2	100	
Bellamy	23	George	0	2	100	
Muttler	19	Engelbrecht	0	3	000	
Moon	15	Walker				
F. Davis	13	PERSONAL FOULS			25	
Eppenstein	13	Wagner			23	
E. Smith	12	R. Williams			21	
Dunn	12	Blake			18	
Engelbrecht	10	Bellamy			15	
R. Hopkins	10	Bryant			15	
Walker	7	Eppenstein			12	
Nehrt	6	Moon			12	
R. Bryant	6	Muttler			9	
Hewitt	4	Smith			8	
H. Doll	4	C. Williams			7	
L. Davis	3	Walker			7	
Devo	3	Dunn			7	
C. Williams	3	W. Hopkins			6	
Liming	2	F. Davis			6	
Evans	2	A. Doll			6	
Dodge	1	Nehrt			6	
Staten	1	Engelbrecht			4	
Devoes	1	DeVoss			4	
Brown	1	George			3	
	1	Hewitt			3	
FOUL GOALS				R. Hopkins		3
	FD	T	Per.	F. Davis		3
Wotr	3	4	750	Liming		3
Liming	1	2	500	Dodge		2
Nehrt	1	2	500	Elmer		2
Fortner	27	67	408	Brown		2
Dunn	11	3	400	A. Doll		2
W. Hopkins	41	31	354	T. Team	Field	Foul
	4	12	330	Tigers	116	8
					83	60

**THOUSANDS
NEED S.S.S.
RIGHT NOW!**

To Prepare the System For Spring

The change of seasons is always severe on the human system. Particularly is this true of the change from winter to spring. With the change of seasons there is also a change going on within the human system that is very trying on the average person, unless nature is given some assistance.

The severity of winter has a wearing effect and leaves the body in a run-down condition. That is what is meant by the general debility which seems to affect so many people, commonly called "Spring fever." Anyone is liable to feel its depressing influence.

At this season men who are vigorous and active, and need all their strength in their daily pursuits, find creeping over them a feeling of weakness which increases until their entire system becomes worn-out and a breakdown seems imminent.

Women become nervous and tired, their household duties seem more than they can stand, they can hardly drag themselves around, so weakening is the "all run-down" feeling which takes possession of them.

Spring ailments are common to children, for this is the season that is most severe on their little bodies. They become puny, lose appetite, are cross and irritable, all because they are not in the proper physical condition to stand the change.

Why is this general, run-down "good-for-nothing" feeling prevalent just at this season? The

East End	105	22	71	62
Covenanter	91	7	58	67
Eagles	83	13	60	75
FINAL STANDING				
	Won	Lost	Pct.	
Eagles	7	5	58	583
gers	116	33	83	60
Covenanters	6	6	500	
East End	5	7	417	

SPORTLETS

Indianapolis, March 28.—Jack Dillon, the Hoosier, undoubtedly, was informed today that Les Barry, the Australian, had agreed to meet him in a twenty-round bout at New Orleans May 4.

"I have been wanting to get a crack at Darcy ever since he came to the United States, and here's his home town," the report from New York today that he will fight me is the truth," said Dillon.

"If he isn't any better than the people who have seen him fight say he is, he won't last 20 rounds, and that's a certainty."

Hot Springs, Ark., March 28.—Jack Barry, new manager of the Red Sox, is going to follow in the footsteps of the two managers under whom he was trained and try to win games with tight defense that will keep the other teams from scoring runs.

Jack learned his baseball under Connie Mack, then played under Bill Carrigan. Mack and Carrigan won pennants and world series.

Barry's plan for tight defense is shown by the care he is taking to have a great pitching staff.

Barry intends to carry seven or perhaps eight pitchers. It should be the greatest pitching staff in the league.

Practically all of the moonbats last year were young and have not gone back.

Cambridge, Mass., March 28.—All sports at Harvard University will be abandoned in case of war. It was learned today on good authority. The matter, however, will not be decided definitely until a meeting next week of the Harvard Athletic Committee.

Entry Blanks For Tourney Now Ready For Players

Entry blanks, for the city bowling tournament are now ready and may be secured at the Play House where the tourney will be held. The blanks are gotten up according to the requirement of the A. B. C. and entries can now be made. It is hoped to start the tourney next week. It is understood that the Walker-Glessner league will enter at least four teams, while the Masonic league will match this mark. The players to roll under the colors of the Masonic league will be decorated upon at the banquet to be held at the Worcester Hotel on Tuesday evening. It is quite likely to come to represent the Crystal Palace and Pennant alleys will be entered.

The entrance fee for each event will be 50 cents, and judgments from the interest deposited there will be the winner of at least \$100 to shoot for. In addition to the purse subscribed by the players, Manager Will Gableman of the Play House, will offer a special prize of \$500, while several merchants will donate special prizes in the shape of wearing apparel. All in all the tourney promises to be one of the finest bowling events ever held in this section of the state. It has been estimated that the highest average players being invited to represent Portsmouth in this tri-city tournament, between Portsmouth, Huntington and Charleston.

If you desire to enter the tourney, secure your blank at once and make it be no excuse for any reason you may enter in one or all of the events. It is expected that quite a number of players will participate in the singles alone. There are quite a number of good bowlers who will grab a partner and go after the prizes in the doubles.

Manager Will Gableman will announce the date for the close of entries within short time. This will be necessary, for a schedule will have to be compiled before the tourney stars.

Everything In Readiness For The Bowlers Banquet

Everything is in readiness for the annual banquet of the Masonic Bowling league to be held at the Washington hotel tomorrow (Thursday) evening at 5:15 o'clock. In order to accommodate several members of the league, it was found necessary to advance the hour to 5:15, at which time a grand march will be inaugurated, the terminal being the banquet hall.

Judging from reports received from all quarters fully 35 members will be present and this may be increased when all reports are in. But two set speeches will be made. Dr. P. W. Young, captain of the Ivory Knobs, will have the honor of making a presentation speech when handing over the trophies to the pennant winners, the Giant Killers. Captain Charles Daehler will respond in behalf of his victorious team. Needless to add that these two men will uncover a plentiful supply of oratory enough to last throughout the entire evening. Incidentally the entire league is expected to spring that will add much to the pleasantries of the occasion.

At the meeting the annual election will take place. President F. W. Sheridan has positively declined to again seek the office, believing that such an honor should be passed around.

Manager William N. Gableman, of the Play House, will be an honored guest. Mr. Gableman has done everything within his power to help the league members have a good time, and it is quite befitting that he grace the occasion with his presence.

Miss Hosi Alan Jordan promises one of the finest feeds in the history of the Washington and it is hardly necessary to remark that every member present will do his part toward hanging up a perfect record. Just one thing more. All members who have not as yet paid their banquet dues of \$1.80 are requested to at once see their respective captain or pay in money to Treasurer William Haskew at the Royal Savings and Loan Co.

**"LET ALL STAND AS ONE MAN
IF REAL WAR SHOULD COME"**

Editor Times.—These are times when it is difficult to get our bearings. War seems to be surely stretching its long arms around the world. Even now the nations of Europe, after nearly three years of fearful carnage and bloodshed, are almost "bled white." Our own nation, one of the greatest countries of the earth, seems to be the next that will enter the world conflict. As a people we are peace-loving and have had no desire to enter this horrible war; but events have so shaped themselves that it looks as though the United States will soon be fighting on the side of the Allies. If through the force of circumstances we should be compelled to resort to arms to defend our rights as a nation, it will not be difficult for true Americans to find their place or to know their duty. We would be blind, indeed, if we could not see and realize our own faults and shortcomings as a nation, but in spite of these, and show them all are the institutions of liberty and the principles of democracy which are laid at the very foundation of this great republic. And, regardless of the differences of opinion, we may hold as to public questions at policies, we should stand as one man in defense of this, the greatest republic in all the world. If we are dragged into this terrible war, let it not be a war of conquest on our part, but a struggle for nobler ideals, and the spreading of democratic ideas and a more humane justice to the peoples of this earth.

WALTER BAGE

POT ROAST MAINTAINS NEUTRALITY

Before war with Germany became imminent, "German Pot Roast" occupied a prominent place on the menu card at the Manhattan.

War Veterans Invited

All Spanish War Veterans, their wives and friends, are invited to attend a meeting and entertainment to be held Friday evening in G. A. R. hall by the Sons of Veterans who will present a piano Bailey Post G. A. R. The meeting and entertainment will start at 7:30 o'clock.

THE MOVIES



Clara Kimball Young In "Camille," At Lyric Tomorrow. From
Famous Novel by Alexandra Dumas. Directed by Albert Capella

Impersonations that are vivid and ritual, scenic effects that are startling in their realism, a story that thrills and throbs with passion and adventure—all these are found in this superior offering. Clara Kimball Young's acting is perfection to the minutest detail. Her support is superior. This is a truly exceptional attraction.

Funny Marie Dressler in "Tillie Wakes Up" at Lyric Tonight
This play is the most pretentious comedy ever produced. There are more good big hearty laughs concealed in its few thousand feet of film than anyone could believe possible to gather together in five million feet. The star is known from one end of the continent to the other as the fun-

Passionate love that is enough to make a tremendous sacrifice, intrigues of high society in Paris and the life of a successful venturer of the underworld. This fascinating story weaves a spell on the beholder. It is silent drama at its best.

The admission will be as usual—cents for adults and 5 for children. Shows at 6:30, 8 and 9:30.

Funniest comedienne appearing either the spoken or silent stage. Johnny Hines, who has an excellent supporting role, is just becoming one of the biggest drawing cards of the young folks. This is the likeliest part he has appeared in many a day. This comedy is offered to break all records as a box office attraction and if you fail to see

1. A man and a woman are besieged in a rude hut on a tropical island of the South Pacific by two men drunk with gin and opium.

The attackers set fire to but the pair inside are saved by the force of a severe hurricane which sweep enormous trees in its path and quenches the blaze in a torrential downpour of rain.

2. Later the couple is entrapped in a cave on the island, when

an earthquake causes a mass of dirt and rock to cover the mouth of the opening. Within their living tomb, they cling together, frightened by the powerful throbs

which shake the very heart of the hills.

3. Escaping from this threatened death, the two have barely time to escape to the open sea when a terrific volcanic explosion breaks the little island in a thousand bits, and it sinks slowly into the sea, while a downpour of scalding steam and white-hot rocks keep the refugees in fear of their

George Freund
DRUGGIST

Louisiana, New Mexico, North and South Carolina and Texas, at sale daily via

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4. Finally, aboard a boat where they think safety lies, they are attacked from within by the men who had besieged them on the is-

land, and from without by a horde of cannibals, who are seeking shelter from the volcano. Fearful of the consequences if the savages get aboard, and being unable to keep them off in any other way, the men on the ship hurled sticks of dynamite among the naked barbarians on the rafts below. It is needless to say that these efforts of defence are suc-

At The Exhibit
You have been missing some wonderful detective dramas when you

missed seeing the Vampire detective pictures early Wednesday at the Exhibit. Today's detective photoplay is entitled "The Terrible Wedding," and it has been rightly named. Excitement and thrills prevail all the way through the 3 acts. These Vampire series of crime plays are all sensational. A one act Lonesome Luiko comedy closes the program. Thursday "The Woman Next Door," a five-act comedy, featuring

At The Temple
Hear the new orchestra at the

popular Temple. Something new all the time, something that is bound to please. The headliner in pictures tonight is another three-act drama of the famous detective series of pictures, "Eyes That Told" is the title of today's chapter. See these thrilling pictures every Wednesday, "Atonement" is a two-part American tense drama. A western photo play,

over featuring Vivian Rich, a two part
over in George Ovey comedy entitled
bill ad: "Jerry's Celebration" closes the
this bill.
over At The Atrium

At the Arcana tonight Francis Ford and Grace Cunard are starring in "The Purple Mask", Universal's greatest chapter photoplay shown here every Wednesday. The title of the ninth chapter being shown tonight is "The Strange Discovery". Every scene of this two-act chapter contains a real thrill. See "The Purple Mask" early Wednesday night.

most Buggot, your favorite, is here to-night in "The Bounton Affair," a two-part 101 Bison drama that is sensational and exciting. A big office

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GRANDMA JOINS CHILDREN'S PLAY

She Used to Be Cross Before Tanlac Cheered Her Up.

CAN WALK UP STAIRS NOW

"My daughters and grandchildren think I'm a different woman. I am. I even get down on the floor and romp with the little ones. A short time ago I was so cross I wasn't company for anyone."

This is the tribute that Mrs. H. E. Hill, 3551 West 63rd St., Cleveland paid to Tanlac.



MRS. H. E. HILL.

"There was a time when I couldn't walk up to the corner store without fear I wouldn't be able to get back."

Lived in Damp Quarters.

"Our house, too, might have made my condition worse. For it was on low ground and was a trifle damp. That made me worse. Before taking Tanlac I couldn't walk up and down the stairs. I had to sleep downstairs. I can get up without any help now."

"My back used to hurt me so bad that I couldn't stoop over. Now I can get down and mop the floors."

Was All Run Down.

"My stomach gave me no end of trouble. No matter what I ate, gas formed and I had a heavy, bloated feeling. I was nervous, and even the salt made by my two little grandchildren in their play annoyed me."

"I surely am thankful for what Tanlac has done for me. And I feel so happy over it that I have already told several friends about the results it brings."

Get Tanlac today if you are not feeling right. Delay in health matters is dangerous.

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Awakening from a sound sleep early Wednesday morning, Zack Prichard, an aged shantyboatman, who lived on a boat, moored in the Ohio near the foot of Union street, found himself enveloped in flames. The entire boat was afire. Prichard had been ablaze several times and his face was burned in several places.

He leaped from his bunk, ran out the door and up the river bank without his clothing. He later went to the home of William Hammond, Union street, where he secured clothing.

In the meantime, Archie Hammond and James Donathan discovered the shantyboat afire and went down to find Prichard. Not finding him, fears were expressed that he had been burned to death. A bucket brigade was formed as the crowd gathered, and the blaze was extinguished. But not before the boat was almost a complete ruin. It had burned almost to the water's edge.

A search was then instituted for the body of Mr. Prichard and while the men were scattering the

blackened ruins in the bottom of the hull, Mr. Prichard appeared on the bank, much to the relief of his friends.

Prichard immediately set about salvaging the remains of his home. About the only thing of value he was able to find was a stove and a few cooking utensils.

When the upper ferry Peerless landed, several on the boat called and asked if Mr. Prichard had been found.

"Sure I have been found. I am here," shouted Mr. Prichard.

Up River Companies Are Also Called Out

Thirty men and two officers of Company I, of Ironton, were ordered to Kenova late Tuesday afternoon to guard the N. & W. bridge there. Captain Kingery and 30 men were soon on the job and will remain at the bridge indefinitely.

A monster crowd turned out last night at Ironton to greet the soldier boys as they departed for Kenova. Several of the boys did not have overcoats and citizens of the town offered theirs to the boys. The Gallipoli company has also been ordered out to protect bridges in that vicinity.

COLD GONE! HEAD AND NOSE CLEAR

First Dose of "Pape's Cold Compound" Relieves All Grippe Misery.

Don't stay snuffed up! Quit blowing and snuffing! A dose of "Pape's Cold Compound" taken every two hours until three doses are taken will end grippe misery and break up a severe cold either in the head, chest, body or limbs.

It promptly opens clogged-up nostrils and air passages; stops nasty discharge or nose running; relieves sick headache, dizziness, feverishness, sore throat, sneezing, soreness and stiffness.

"Pape's Cold Compound" is the quickest, surest relief known and costs only 25 cents at drug stores. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, and causes no inconvenience. Don't accept a substitute.

Pape's Honey and Tar is best for coughs, colds, croup, and contains no narcotics. A standard family medicine of many years standing. Sold everywhere. The Fisher & Streich Pharmacy.

cutting the fire on a signal switch, stopping a train by lowering the signal, on one occasion, in order that they might throw off coal. On another occasion, it is charged, they broke the air coupling on a train below Hanging Rock and nearly wrecked it. At that time a conductor shot at Abrams and the bullet pierced the rim of his hat, it is claimed.

Mrs. John P. Capehart and daughter Miss Anna Marie Capehart returned Tuesday evening from Huntington, where they have been visiting relatives.

Bureau Stockholders Get A Fine Report On Work Done

The Bureau has sent the following letter to those helping the project:

You are a stockholder in the "human helpfulness" work of the bureau. At the close of our second month we are now ready to declare a dividend.

Relief Department—326 calls for assistance have been responded to. 120 visits have been made and \$600.00 has been expended in material relief, not including second-hand clothing. The work has been systematized and a confidential exchange installed which saves time and makes our work more effective.

Health Department—One nurse has been with us since the organization of the Bureau, February 1st. Our second nurse has been with us only two weeks. 400 visits have been made in caring for the sick. The health department faces an unusual opportunity, but some very difficult problems.

Recreation Department—The work of the Boy Scouts has gone right ahead. We are beginning to branch out into community recreations and several spring baseball leagues have been organized. A survey of juvenile delinquency has been completed so that we now know where clean, well supervised recreation is most needed. The boy's "leisure time" is his danger time.

Brighter Portsmouth Campaign—Much time has been given to the organization of this campaign which opens April 1st. Almost 200 people have been enlisted and many committee meetings have been held. We look forward to your co-operation and support in this work during the month of April.

Space will not permit us to go into further detail. Drop into the office and hear of many things that cannot be printed. Better still, arrange to go out with our workers and "see for yourself."

Having made a most encouraging beginning we are glad to remind our stockholders that THE SECOND PAYMENTS FALL DUE APRIL 1st and will be received at the First National bank building, Room 75.

Mail Address—Bureau of Community Service, Portsmouth, O.

Very truly yours,
W. W. ANDERSON,
VALLEE HAROLD,
SAMUEL HORGROW,
P. E. SEIBY,
C. E. DOWLING.

Executive Committee.

MAKING PLANS FOR PATRIOTIC MEETING

The joint meeting of Vienna Camp, Sons of Veterans and Vienna Auxiliary held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Skelton Tuesday evening, to complete plans for the district meeting Saturday evening, and reception of Col. C. A. Whittlessey, division commander, J. Edgar Sherry, division secretary, Mrs. Cora S. Kennedy, division president of S. V. auxiliary, and Miss Patterson, division organizer, both of Bellefontaine, have completed all but minor arrangements for the meeting. John R. Skelton presided.

It will be held in Selby (G. A. R.) hall. Reports from John A. Logan Camp No. 44 at Friendship, and Lois Camp No. 16 of Harrisonville are comrades, W. R. C. and S. V. auxiliary, together with members of their respective families, will attend and the meeting promises to be very large. It will be in the nature of a

camp-fire, with speakers, music song and story, similar to the district meeting held two years ago. Floyd Stearnes has kindly donated his services and will be the pianist of the evening. S. D. Eckhart will be chairman of the meeting. The reception committee will be: Harry M. Sickles, Hartzell Evans, Gilbert E. Dodds, David P. Scott and John R. Skelton.

The committee to meet the visitors at the train will be: T. C. Beatty, David P. Scott and S. D. Eckhart. Vienna Auxiliary will name their committee when they hear from headquarters.

Secretary Sherry will be entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Harry M. Sickles, of Second street, and several that they will attend. The G. A. R. have asked that Col. Whittlessey be assigned to their homes.

Mrs. H. T. Fairtrace, district aide on Mrs. Kennedy's staff, wishes the pleasure of entertaining her and Miss Patterson.

Daniel Heid Missing

Where is Daniel Heid? Has anyone seen him since Monday noon? Any information regarding his whereabouts would be more than gladly received by his wife and three children at their home on Mohr Road. Their telephone number is 1720-11.

Mr. Heid arose as usual Monday morning and left the house about eleven o'clock, saying he was going down street. Since that time he has not been heard from by his family. Mrs. Heid is at a loss to account for his continued absence, as he had never stayed away from home before. Mrs. Heid says they had had no family trouble and that her husband had a good job at the N. & W. terminals and can not find a reason why he should absent himself from home.

December 2 last Mr. Heid received injuries about the head when thrown from a truck belonging to the Portsmouth Brewing and Ice Company, when the truck left the pike near Lucasville. He has suffered dizzy spells numerous times since, and friends fear that his mind may have become suddenly affected and he wandered away. Heid is about 39 years of age.

Besides his wife he has three small children: Alma, aged 5 years; Harold, aged 2 years; and Geneva, aged 3 months. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Heid, of Wheelersburg, say they have not heard from him for sometime. Inquiries at his usual haunts have thrown no light on his disappearance.

OHIO IS FALLING

The Ohio river is again falling briskly at this point, the gauge at 7 o'clock Wednesday morning showing a stage of 38 feet.

The Greenwood passed up Wednesday morning for Huntington and will be down Thursday for Cincinnati.

Gordon, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Smith, of 1413 Fourth street, is ill with chickenpox.

G. E. Tinsley The N. & W. Shop Man Pays Tribute

Says "I've Not Had to Lose Any Time Since I Began Taking Nerv-Worth."

This South Portsmouth man delivers over his own signature a welcome message to those whose ill of the flesh make difficult or impossible the doing of their daily work:

Fisher & Streich Pharmacy: I have been troubled with bronchitis for 13 years. This caused me so much trouble that at times I had to lay off from my work, especially in the winter. I was in your store some time since and the demonstrator of Nerv-Worth gave me a sample dose and a little folder explaining the qualities of Nerv-Worth. I decided to try it and purchased one bottle at your store.

After taking the one bottle I feel so much better and have not had to lose any time since I began taking it. I feel so grateful for what it has done for me I am glad to recommend it to others. I am purchasing my second bottle today.

G. E. TINSLEY.
Mr. Tinsley adds to the above that his cough left him and he has no trouble.

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Rugs of all kinds, qualities and prices and sizes.
Window shades of all kinds and sizes. Give us a look.

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At night, spread the hair apart and rub a little Resinol Ointment into the scalp gently, with the tip of the finger. Repeat this with the whole scalp two or three times. Next morning, shampoo thoroughly with Resinol Soap and hot water. Work the cream Resinol lather well into the scalp. Rinse with gradually cooler water, the last water being cold. All dandruff and loss of hair will be cured.

DUTY



NEW AUTOMOBILE LAWS

A number of changes have been made in road laws as they affect motorists by the legislature, changes that will work for the safety of travel generally. One law provides that headlights shall be dimmed in passing another motor or vehicle, said dimming to take place when at a distance of not less than 700 feet, or so adjusted that a distance of not less than 200 feet or more in front of such vehicle, no part of the intensified rays shall be visible more than 3 and one-half feet above the surface of the highway and remain so until the approaching vehicle passes by. Spot lights must be put out at a distance of not less than 700 feet unless so deflected that their rays shine directly on the roadway and at a distance not exceeding 60 feet in front of the vehicle. Twenty-five dollars fine is provided for the first offense, and not less than \$50 or more than \$100 for the second offense.

Another bill provides for lights on all vehicles traveling on public highways one hour after sunset and one hour before sunrise, said lights to be visible at least 200 feet, from the front and the rear. A twenty-five dollar fine is also provided for violation of this law.

Another law makes it mandatory that detours shall be kept passable and in repair while highways are being rebuilt or repaired.

County funds may be spent in maintaining roads in villages and municipalities, where such roads are part of main highways, under provisions of an amendment to the Cass Highway law.

Another law makes it mandatory on a judge to sentence an automobile thief to from one to fifteen years in the penitentiary. Another law provides for the suspension or revocation of the license of a reckless automobile driver.

A Jackson county orchardist is authority for the statement that most of the peaches in Jackson and Ross counties have been killed by frost and that plums and cherries have also suffered badly. Apples are safe so far, he says. We hope he is mistaken, but there doesn't seem much chance for a bumper crop in any event.

A worried patriot writes the New York Sun that he is 37 years old and married and he wants to know when his turn will come in the mobilization orders, in war time. The Sun tells him that there are about fifteen million possibilities ahead of him in point of age before his time comes, if he feels that way about it and so he need not worry particularly about being called upon. However, it advises him to get in condition for no man can tell what the future will have in store.

Great surprise is expressed in prominent Prussian circles because we're going to fight if we have to and we guess the Kaiser must have got the idea somehow that we had put him on the songbird list.—Ohio State Journal.

THIS IS SAD

(By George Martin)

A man has no time to be decent to his wife.

He gets up early in the morning with a groan and has to leave before it does. Consequently he has no time to be decent to her in the morning.

He arrives at the office feeling fine, and he continues to feel fine until long in the afternoon, when his duties begin to creep and, when his time he gets home at night he is disgruntled for the evening. Thus he has no time to be decent to her in the evening.

On Sunday he is too worn out with the work of the week to do anything but eat and sleep.

The average man has plenty of good disposition, but no time to practice it on his wife.

You Need A Spring Laxative

Dr. King's New Life Pills will remove the accumulated wastes of winter from your intestines, the burden of the blood. Get that sluggish spring fever feeling out of your system, brighten your eye, clear your complexion. Get that vim and snap of good purified healthy blood. Dr. King's New Life Pills are a non-gripping laxative that aids nature's process, try them tonight. At all druggists, 25c.

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The Cash Grocer

NEW-YORK-DAY-BY-DAY.
O. O. MCINTYRE.

New York, March 26—
Everytime I mail.
A story to a magazine.
The editor.
Sends a man.
To Jersey City.
To intercept it.
And mail it back.
And it makes me so mad.
Because I write good stories.
My wife admits it.
And I back her up.
So the other day.
I called on an editor.
And crawled in on my knees.
And licked.
A little blushing.
Off his shoes.
And he reached over.
And patted me.
On the head.
And said:
"What is it, little man?"
And I told him.
I had The Great American Novel.
And wanted him to read it.
And he said he would.
And we went out.
And got all full of tea.
And hot biscuits.
And strained honey.
And I told him.
What a great editor he was.
And what nifty clothes.
He wore.
And how learned he looked.
And he took it all in.
And I went out.
And scattered sunshine.
In the sad lives.
Of a few nervous creditors.

And bought some clothes.
And romped home.
To tell my wife.
And she was just opening.
A package.
Containing.
The Great American Novel.
It had beat me home.
By fifteen minutes.
And the next time that editor.
Goes out in the rain.
I hope.
He forgets his rubbers.
The great big stiff.

Injured Arm
Is X-Rayed

C. C. Bothwell, N. & W. engineer, who was injured at Otway several days ago, was reported a little better Wednesday at his home on Eleventh street. An X-ray picture has been made of his injured arm, which was crushed.

New Truckman

Ernest Snyder, of Elm street, will begin work Wednesday as truckman at the B. & O. S.-W. freight station.

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If you are having any of these troubles notify us, and we will have a man call and adjust your stove.

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Lots To Learn

There's a little weary fellow with a pencil in his hand. Vainly struggling with a problem that he can not understand. Not a very complex problem, but the simplest little sum. Is a great and dreadful labor when the answer will not come. Anyway, it's no use trying, there are dozens more to do. Many dreary pages of them, till one works the whole book thru.

Where's the sense of all this study when you find at every turn. That no matter what the task is there is still too much to learn!

Pretty tough to be a youngster, pretty hard to make things bright. When one looks thru years of lessons and can see no hope in sight. You and I can stand beside him and can whisper in his ear. All the old and threadbare maxims that are meant to carry cheer. But we know we're talking idly, in our inmost hearts we know. That the way grows ever harder, never mind how far we go. And though many is the number of the pages that we turn. In our endless Book of Knowledge there is still so much to learn!

—James J. Montague.

Seeing and Hearing

Two fellows were boasting of their prowess—one because of his splendid eyesight, the other of his fine hearing. Said the one—"See that fly on that third telephone pole, there he goes out on the wire—see him?"

The other peered closely. "No, he said, I'll have to admit I can't see him, but I can hear him."

A Fine Day

President George C. Woodruff of the Baldhead Club of America, said at the recent turkey dinner in Hartford:

"The members of this club don't buy hair-growers. There are lots of millionaire hair-grower manufacturers, but we don't patronize them."

"The bald head who keeps on hoping for new hair seems to us as irrational as the Irishman who will never say no."

"Some Irish, you know, will never disagree with you—never say no. A tourist couldn't believe this. So he resolved to put it to the test. He said to an Irishman one day when it was raining cats and dogs:

"It's a fine day, Pat." "Shure an' it is, yer honor," said Pat, "an' it would be finer if it wasn't raining!" —Washington Star.

Had An Assistant

"Did your husband die a natural death?" we asked Mrs. Malaprop. "Oh, no," she replied. "He had a doctor." —Exchange.

Bound to Figure It Out

A school inspector, who was examining a class of boys in arithmetic, set the following question: "If a cat fell into a bottomless pit, and climbed up two feet for every three it fell, how long would it take to get out?"

This proved a regular puzzler to the lads, but one little fellow went out the problem with a will, and covered both sides of his slate with calculations. "Here!" exclaimed the inspector, as he noticed him hard at work. "Stop doing that. Haven't you the sense to see that the cat couldn't possibly get out?"

"Oh, yes, he could, sir," replied the boy, brightly. "If you'll only give me time, I'll bring him out at Australia."

Object of Solicitude

Our dove of peace we love so dear When sitting out upon a limb, And vowe to any who draw near. And try to take a shot at him! —Washington Star.

Vegetarians

A novelist was arguing against vegetarianism. "The vegetarians' claims are fantastic," he said. "It's no use reasoning with them. You must just advance fantastic counter claims against them." "A rabid vegetarian once said to me: 'It is a matter of universal record that meat eaters grow like the weeds they eat. Thus the beef eater becomes dull and boring. The mutton eater becomes sheepish. The veal eater is a calf. The pork eater is a hog.' My loud laughter interrupted him. 'True, quite true, my friend,' I said. 'And have you also noticed how all you vegetarian potatoes are so pretty small potatoes?' —Washington Star.

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A CASE IN POINT

Charles Eichenlaub, a farmer living at the headwaters of Little Bear Creek, came to town, by rail, one day last week, to market produce. He was compelled to remain overnight, because a heavy rain fell after his arrival and from experience, he knew that the road, which runs along the banks of Little Bear, would be inundated and impassable, it being so located that it is lower at places than the creek. Speaking of the situation Mr. Eichenlaub said the condition of the highway was injurious to the welfare of those whom it is designed to serve. Frequently it prevented them from reaching market at all and generally only light loads could be hauled over it, thus making marketing costly. For several years relief had been sought through the county commissioners, but owing to a lack of funds, they had been unable to do anything until this year, when the road will be repaired, if the funds can be possibly be found.

There are many good farms tributary to Little Bear road, but they seldom change hands and have a reduced sale price because of this lack of good roads. And there is the kernel of the whole road situation, or question. In the aggregate large sums of money have been spent on the Little Bear pike, if such it may be called. The county, combined with the township, never constructed it right, and expenditures were for temporary repairs that had a habit of disappearing every time a rain fell. The right sort of a highway would have cost no more in the same number of years, not even as much, perhaps, as a makeshift. If we figure on what has been the loss to those who must use the road, certainly not as much. Wherefore we reach the conclusion that the best policy is to build permanent roads. This may be slow, because people have to be able to get somewhere and exigencies of outlet demand temporary provision therefor, but to the possible limit its resources will permit the county will find that real roads are the only roads.

Portsmouth had her first taste of the great war upon which America is about to enter Tuesday afternoon when the whistle of the Selby Shoe company factory sounded the alarm for the immediate assembling of Company K, Seventh Regiment Ohio National Guard, at its armory, preparatory to entering upon guard duty. The shrill blast of the factory whistle sent a thrill over the town, every one sensing intuitively the meaning. Some thought it presaged declaration of actual war and for a long time Times telephones were busy in answering calls for information. It brought with it too, a sobering sense of what war means, but in every heart was awakened stronger patriotic sentiment. Portsmouth has not been a jingo town. It's people have not clamored for war. But in the whole land we doubt if there is a more thoroughly patriotic city, a city in which there is more genuine America first and only sentiment, than in Portsmouth. And Portsmouth stands ready to do her share in the war in every respect, just as she did in the civil war, and in the Spanish war.

In the excitement of preparation for war, we overlooked the fact that The Times had a little anniversary of its own the other day. On March 23rd the daily edition of this paper was 23 years old, the first issue having made its appearance on March 23rd, 1894. Of the little force of men and women who gazed upon the first effort so proudly and so hopefully, the writer of this is the only one now connected with the paper, and he has been with the paper continuously from the first issue. We believe that if we could have foreseen all of the trials and tribulations and work connected with the upbuilding of the paper we would all have been discouraged. But we didn't know and so we plunged into the future with unflinching courage and stout heart, and faith in the future of The Times and of Portsmouth.

Well, anyway we see that our congressman, Mr. Kearns, is getting interview shy in his old age. It is about as hard these days to get an expression from him on any subject under the sun as it is to interview the Sphinx. Wise boy, is our Charlie. He got his fingers burned once by saying what he thought right out loud and he has been afraid of the fire ever since.

It is impossible, owing to the censorship, to tell just what is going on in Russia, but it looks as though both the Entente and the Central Powers are deeply concerned as to the possible effect of the revolution on the war. The Entente undoubtedly fear that the new government, especially if it suffers a sudden reverse, may ask for a separate peace from Germany, an appeal that would meet with a speedy response and thus leave Germany free to deal with France and England. That Germany will seek to crush the Russian armies and that she will do so in the hope of forcing Russia out of the war, seems the most probable German strategy. Or again, Russia may be made a peace offer with favorable terms, an offer the new rulers might feel called upon to accept so as to find time to consolidate their positions and straighten out the kinks in the new government.

The next few weeks will be full of interest, especially for this country, about to enter into the war.

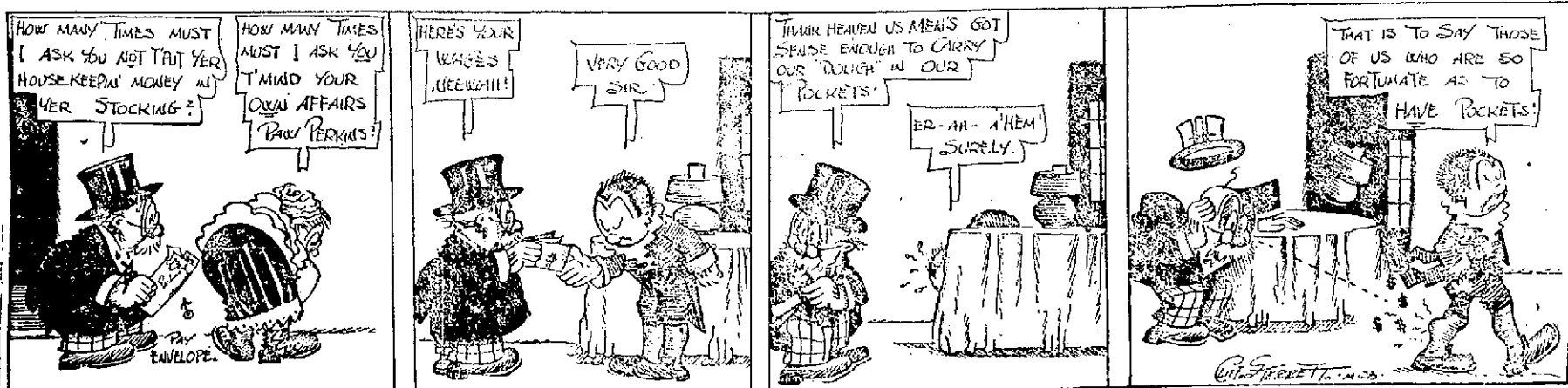
There must have been a rumor to the effect that the flood wall birds were to be mobilized for trench duty for even the regulars have abandoned the favorite roost.

Here's a tip to our progressive barbers: In Youngstown the talking machine has replaced the "one sided dialogue" in barber shops. Patrons can now listen to the latest song hits while having their chins scraped or their heads shampooed.

POLLY AND HER PALS

Purses Are for Those Who Have Pockets

By CLIFF STERRETT



THE NOON EXTRA

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ELEVEN O'CLOCK PORTSMOUTH, OHIO WEDNESDAY, MARCH 28, 1917. (Established April 20, 1914) PRICE ONE CENT

WILSON MAY ASK CONGRESS TO RAISE NAVY TO 100,000

Admits German Food Supply Is Overestimated

May Ask For Volunteers Or Have Compulsory Training Law Passed To Strengthen The Army

Washington, March 28.—President Wilson has taken all the steps within his power to bring the navy to its maximum man strength for the present. He may still ask congress that it be raised to 100,000 men.

He still has several ways open whereby he can bring the land forces to greater strength, though speculation is that he will get his main increase by asking for volunteers or by having congress pass a compulsory training law. The means whereby the larger army could be obtained are:

Increase of the militia from 150,000 men to full war strength, 450,000.

Increase of the army from 120,000 to war strength, 170,000.

Increase of the army by adding at once all the annual increments designated by the last army bill. This would give 275,000 in all.

Call for volunteers.

Have congress pass a universal service measure which would probably be shaped to furnish 500,000 youths.

Just what is in the president's mind is not known. Military men say, however, that the war department is considering enlargement measures on the idea that "the bitterest struggle this nation has ever known, may be our part."

These men say the country ought not to be misguided in its view that real war—and not mere

ly police work—must sooner or later be the portion of the big force which will probably be demanded of congress next week.

The question of army recruiting is kept in the background for the moment, so that the navy may be brought to full strength. Nothing must hamper getting the full navy strength and getting it now, authorities say.

Washington, March 28.—President Wilson will have to be positive, definite and specific in detail to get what he wants from congress. This is the impression today, "on the hill."

A vast majority of the forty percent of the new congress here ready for the Monday opening, feel that way about it. They say that if the president shows any inclination in his coming "war message," to be too general, or "thinly suggestive" of what he wants, wide difference of opinion will result and perhaps cause a disastrous delay in a real program.

Congress leaders and the men in the ranks say flatly that right now the temper of congress wants to be told why he called them into extraordinary session and what he wants them to do about it.

With all pre-congress preparedness steps now practically taken, the big question of voluntarily censored Washington hinged today on what the president will say next Tuesday when he addresses the joint session.

The congressional temper evident among early arrivals was "forged back home." While this temper predominates there is also evidence that some western members brought a slight cooling of the war spirit with them. Certain representatives and some senators, who have strongly and openly opposed war with or without war-like actions toward Germany all along, still maintain that "a majority of the people do not want war," but are ready, however, to do the president's bidding.

DUMA, LVOFF, MILUKOFF AND RODZIANKO GUIDE RUSS DESTINIES



Russian duma in session. Below, left to right: Premier Lvoff, Paul N. Milukoff and M. Rodzianko

TENTATIVE OFFER OF SEPARATE PEACE MADE TO RUSSIA, CLAIMED

London, March 28.—General Neville was driving his wedge with sledge hammer blows against the Germans today north of La Fere and at the same time by hot pursuit forging another such wedge at Laon. The most bitter fighting of the advance and the retreat so far is centering around the point of this second wedge near St. Gobain forest.

The British are steadily forging ahead, cavalry and armored cars incessantly harassing the retreating Germans. Weather conditions continue the main obstacle to swifter progress.

Holland dispatches today detailed reports of two German mores of exceeding interest to military critics. One was that the Germans were preparing for a shortening of their lines by withdrawals in Alsace, particularly Mulhouse. The second was that Berlin had made tentative offers of a separate peace to Russia—the terms to include autonomy for Poland, internationalization of Constantinople, Russian domination of Armenia and in return Russian evacuation of Austrian territory now held.

In the meantime, on the British front, the fighting was still of the open variety, as opposed to the massed men now coming to grips on the French sectors.

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Endorse Governor's Proclamation

Columbus, O., March 28.—Militia and agriculture authorities gave quick endorsement today to the proclamation by Governor Cox yesterday calling for increased food production in Ohio. High militia officers declared "real patriotism" requires Ohioans shall answer the call.

"It is the people's opportunity to aid in one of the highest forms of war preparedness," said one official today.

Plans were afoot today for a campaign of education and encouragement by the state agricultural department in intensive farming and back yard gardening. The newly authorized state bureau of markets likely will make this campaign one of its first duties, officials said.

Called For Guard Duty

Boston, Mass., March 28.—Company E, Ninth regiment, Massachusetts National Guard, was the first to be called for actual guard duty today. Orders have been received from General Leonard Wood, commander of the department of the East, to station that company "somewhere in Massachusetts."

Argentine Puts Embargo On Wheat

Buenos Aires, March 28.—Pro Allies in Argentina frankly stated their belief that there are German influences behind the Argentine government's wheat embargo. The English newspaper Herald declared its belief today that "President Irigoyen unquestionably acted in good faith; but we suspect subtle influences contributed to his decision."

REICHSTAG COMMITTEE TOLD OF CONDITIONS IN THE TEUTON NATION

Amsterdam, March 28.—German Food Dictator Batocki admitted to the Reichstag main committee that there had been an over-estimate in the amount of Germany's food supplies, according to Berlin advices received today.

Batocki was quoted, in commenting on the seriousness of the German food situation, as saying that increased production "was impossible owing to lack of labor and enormous difficulties of transport."

Menace Of German Drive Helping Democratic Russia To Effect Reorganization

Petrograd, March 28.—Menace of a German drive into Russia is serving to accelerate tremendously the reorganization of Democratic Russia. The greatest energy was apparent today at the war office. Extraordinary efforts have been made to apprise troops at the front with the exact conditions under which Russia slipped from the bonds of autocracy into democracy, as well as with the provisional government's plans for the future.

The ministry of the interior is bending every effort to speed up to a maximum the output of munitions and supply factories and other governmental agencies are centered on the rapid transportation of these supplies to the front.

Entire confidence is expressed here of Russia's troops being able to withstand German assaults. The weather favors the defenders, spring thaws having loosened the ground to an appreciable extent, making progress of an attacking army difficult over muddy ground.

The system of food supplying which has relieved the shortage here in Petrograd was today being extended throughout the large cities of Russia.

Evidencing the new spirit in the army, dispatches from the southwestern front today told of a great demonstration accorded General Brusiloff on his taking the oath with his troops of loyalty to the new provisional government.

Brusiloff personally received his troops and witnessed their repledging of fealty.

Then his men carried him on their shoulders to army headquarters. There great red shields were brought out, inscribed: "Those in the rear conquered a dynasty; we at the front will conquer the enemy. Long live Brusiloff, the nation's hero."

Ohio Has "Strong Arsenal Of Gold And Silver Bullets"

Columbus, O., March 28.—Ohio won't lag behind as an arsenal for gold and silver "bullets."

State Bank Superintendent Berg reported today total resources of state and private banks are close to \$1,000,000,000. The exact figure on March 5 was \$910,336,606. \$804,139,163 was deposits, of which \$479,818,296 was savings. Total resources of Columbus' nine state banks were \$14,063,707.

OPENING STOCKS

New York, March 28.—Driggs Securities Ordinance led the stock market at the opening today with an overnight jump of 3 1/2 points to 70. Elsewhere in the list there were recoveries from the irregularity and losses of yesterday's bear drive.

United States Steel was up 3/4 at 115 1/4; Marine preferred same 1 1/4 at 91 1/4; New Haven advanced 1/2 to 46 and Crucible half to 69 1/4.

OPENING

Bethlehem Steel A-144.
Central Leather 91 3/4.
Chesapeake and Ohio 60 1/4.
Colorado Fuel and Iron 52 1/4.
Crucible Steel 69 1/4.
Mexican Petroleum 90.
Norfolk and Western 133 1/4.
Republic Iron and Steel 83.
Southern Railway 28 3/4.
United States Steel 115 1/4.
Columbia Gas and Electric 44 1/4.

CHICAGO GRAIN

Chicago, March 28.—Opening—Wheat: May up 3/4; July up 3/4; Sept. up 1/4.
Corn: May up 1/4; July up 1/8; Sept. up 1/4.
Oats: May up 1/4; July up 3/4; Sept. up 3/4.

Provisions slightly higher.

ROBIN

Savannah, Ga., March 28.—Robin, firm; sales, 233; receipts, 432; shipments, 601; stock, 69,854. Quote: A, B, C, D, E, \$5.50.

Condimental.

Douglas Ferrero once went to a party at which a Mr. Pepper had assembled all his friends and on entering the room said to his host, "My dear Mr. Pepper, how glad you must be to see all your friends mustered!"

Another Field.

"You can't sell me a gold brick," I've bought twenty or more in my time." "Exactly, and you therefore need a container. I'm selling elegant mahogany hods with gilt nails. You sign here."—Pittsburgh Post.

WEATHER

Ohio—Fair, warmer tonight and Thursday.
West Virginia—Fair, warmer tonight and Thursday.
Kentucky—Fair, warmer tonight. Thursday, fair, warmer in eastern portion.

The bamboo tree does not blossom until it attains its thirtieth year, when it produces seeds profusely and then dies.

1200 OHIO TROOPS ARE STANDING GUARD OVER BRIDGES AND TERMINALS

Columbus, O., March 28.—More than 1,200 Ohio troops today are standing guard over railroad terminals and bridges and various public buildings throughout the state.

Whether still more guardsmen will be called for "precautionary protection" against enemy plotters probably will be known late today or tomorrow when Adjutant General Wood returns from Chicago where he went last night to confer with General Barry, commanding the central department.

Meanwhile officers here are holding themselves in readiness for orders to mobilize the entire guard, expected at any time.

Chancelor To Address Reichstag Tomorrow

Berlin, March 28.—via London.—The imperial chancellor, Dr. Von Bethmann-Hollweg, is expected to speak today in the upper house of the Prussian diet and on Thursday in the Reichstag. In the first of these speeches he probably will deal with internal reforms in Prussia and his speech in the Reichstag will deal with foreign affairs.

Militia Companies On Guard Duty In Ohio

Militia companies doing guard duty in various parts of the state today, were:

Companies C. F. I. and K. Fifth Regiment, Cleveland.
I. O. H. and machine gun company, First Regiment, Cincinnati.
A. and E. Seventh, Zanesville.
C. Seventh, Portmoy.
K. Seventh, Portsmouth.
I. Seventh, Ironston.
B. and E. Seventh, Marietta.
F. Seventh, Callipolis.

ANOTHER ARMED AMERICAN SHIP MAKES SAFE VOYAGE

New York, March 28.—The Atlantic Transport freighter Manchuria, reached an English port Monday, closely following the time of the St. Louis' arrival, the International Mercantile Marine announced today. The Manchuria was the first armed American steamship to sail from an American port. She departed 24 hours before the St. Louis, but was passed on the way by the passenger vessel.

The Manchuria is a 14,000 ton vessel. She was heavily laden with foodstuffs. She carried a crew of 145.

Word also has been received of the arrival in England of the White Star Liner Adriatic.

KAISER SUFFERING FROM MILD FORM OF DIABETES

Berne, March 28.—Kaiser Wilhelm is suffering from a mild form of diabetes and is undergoing treatment at Homburg, according to wireless dispatches received here today.

His physicians were said to have given assurances that with a careful regime of treatment they can effect a cure, but worry is said to be retarding the emperor's recovery.

Averages Of Scout Basketball Players, Wagner Is Leader

Season Just Closed Was Very Successful

Here are the final averages of the Scout basketball players in the Boy Scout Basketball League, which recently wound up a singularly successful season:

FIELD GOALS	FG	T	Pct.
Wagner	32	47	.680
Porter	27	41	.659
A. Doll	25	37	.676
R. Hopkins	24	36	.667
R. Williams	23	35	.657
Bellamy	22	34	.647
Blake	21	33	.636
Mutter	20	32	.625
Moore	19	31	.613
F. Davis	18	30	.600
Eppenstein	17	29	.587
E. Smith	16	28	.571
Dunn	15	27	.556
Engelbrecht	14	26	.538
W. Hopkins	13	25	.520
Walker	12	24	.500
Nehf	11	23	.478
R. Bryant	10	22	.455
H. Doll	9	21	.429
George	8	20	.400
Engelbrecht	7	19	.368
Dodge	6	18	.333



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For The Man

who wants a medium round toe shoe with a common sense heel—uppers of good calf skin, leather soles. I would suggest this shoe—none better at the price—

\$4.50

If you want a more narrow or broader toe in the same grade I have them.

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THREE LITTLE TAILORS
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FOR THE OLD FOLKS
there is nothing more invigorating than a nip of our Yellowstone Whiskey. It is pure and wholesome and delicious in flavor. Keep a bottle in the house. It will prove good either for hospitality or sickness.
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TED CANN, NEW YORK YOUTH, IS SENSATION OF SWIMMING WORLD



Ted Cann.

Dillon Anxious To Get Crack At Darcy

Indianapolis, March 28.—Jack Dillon, 28-year-old, was informed today that Les Darcy, the Australian, has agreed to meet him in a twenty-round bout at New Orleans May 4.

Barry Is Planning Airtight Defense

Hot Springs, Ark., March 28.—Jack Barry, new manager of the Red Sox, is going to follow in the footsteps of the manager who has been in the position for some time and try to win games with a tight defense that will keep the other teams from scoring runs.

White Heather. The aged admiral was well known for his powers of exaggeration. At supper one night he was describing a thrilling voyage. "While cruising in the Mediterranean," he said, "we passed an island which was red with lobsters." "But," said one of the politely incredulous guests, "lobsters are not red till boiled." "Of course not," said the undaunted admiral, "but this was a volcanic island with boiling springs!"—New York Times.

The latest telephone wires in Portsmouth are those leading to the TIMES WANT AD department.

How to Make Want Ads Pay

Example No. 2
You are on one side or the other in the employment proposition. You are after a position, or else wish to employ somebody. The Want Ad will bring all manner of replies and applications. Let us look over some Want Ads designed to secure help:

SAMPLE No. 1 OF A POOR WANT AD
WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED stenographer, salary \$5 a week to start. Reply by handwriting.

COMMENT No. 1
This is inadequate, except as to salary.

SAMPLE No. 2 OF GOOD WANT AD
WANTED—A SURE GIRL TO work for two children, day and night, 4 and 7 years, good home and good pay for the right girl who can satisfy us as to character and references. Write a girl to live with us. Address—

COMMENT No. 2
In the Want Ad there is both weakness and strength. While many girls may reply, it is apparent to the advertiser that the girl who can satisfy us as to character and references will be particularly desirable.

SAMPLE No. 3 OF GOOD WANT AD
WANTED—A PERSONAL secretary who can handle light office work. Must be a girl, not a woman, and must be able to type. Salary \$5 a week. Reply by handwriting to the person who has the ad.

COMMENT No. 3
This Want Ad carries a message of importance. The advertiser is not a fool. He is the safest way to get in touch with the right girl. It shows a man who is not a fool.

The Want Ad should never go beyond the bounds of reason, and impose impossible conditions. It should not be so worded as to indicate that the writer is a crank, and thereby frighten away applicants. There should be a sort of understanding between applicants and employers. It is better by far to secure one application of value, than fifty of no value. Fill in an employer or employee, be sure to make your Want Ad set forth the facts and then

The Want Ad is the Best Employment Bureau

Ball Club Will Help

Milwaukee, March 28.—President A. F. Timme of the Milwaukee association baseball team today announced that he would give ten per cent of the profits of his club this season to the Milwaukee Red Cross to assist in equipping a base hospital of 500 beds, the donation being contingent on the event of actual warfare.

Entry Blanks For Tourney Now Ready For Players

Entry blanks for the city bowling tournament are now ready and may be secured at the Play House where the tourney will be held. The blanks are gotten up according to the requirements of the A. B. C. and entries can now be made. It is hoped to start the tourney next week. It is understood that the Whitaker-Glessner league will enter at least four teams, while the Masonic league will match this mark. The players to roll under the colors of the Masonic league will be decided upon at the banquet to be held at the Washington hotel tomorrow evening. It is quite likely teams to represent the Crystal Palace and Pennant alleys will be entered. The entrance fee for each event will be 50 cents, and judging from the list of entries there will be a pot of at least \$100 to shoot for, in addition to the purse subscribed by the players. Manager Will Gableman of the Play House, will offer a special prize of \$5.00, while several merchants will donate special prizes in the shape of wearing apparel. All in all the tourney promises to be one of the finest bowling events ever held in this section of the state. It has been suggested that the six highest average players be named to represent Portsmouth in the tri-city tournament between Portsmouth, Huntington and Charleston. If you desire to enter the tourney, secure your blank at once. It should be understood that a person may enter any or all of the events. It is expected that quite a number of players will participate in the singles alone. There are quite a number of good bowlers who will grab a partner and go after the prizes in the doubles. Manager Gableman will announce the date for the close of entries within a short time. This will be necessary, for a schedule will have to be compiled before the tourney stars.

Athletes Are Ready To Serve Country

Philadelphia, March 28.—James E. "Red" Meredith, famous former Pennsylvania athlete and holder of the world's quarter and half mile running records, has offered his services to his country. Meredith announced today that he intended to enlist in the aviation corps, and is arranging his business affairs so that he can start taking instructions as soon as he is accepted. Donald Lippincott, former Pennsylvania track star, along with several other Penn athletes, has also signified his intention of joining with Meredith.

Reds Play Washington

The Washington Senators play in Cincinnati Sunday, and the Reds will face Walter Johnson, who is said to be in grand shape this spring. From now on the Reds will play first class teams, and fans will get a line on their real strength.

Two Slide From Sox

Houston, Texas, March 28.—Two more White Sox, Bruno Haas, outfielder, and First Baseman Henry were dropped off the payroll today. Henry goes to the St. Joseph, Western league team, and Haas to the Newark Internationals.

No Sports If War Comes

Cambridge, Mass., March 28.—All sports at Harvard University will be abandoned in case of war, it was learned today on good authority. The matter, however, will not be decided definitely until a meeting next week of the Harvard Athletic Committee.

Merkle In Great Shape

Fred Merkle reported to the Brooklyn club at Hot Springs in great shape and Manager Robinson has high hopes of a good year for the former Giant. The plan is, as has been stated, to use Merkle in the outfield or possibly at second base, provided Brooklyn's second permit him to play first regularly.

Heine Was Homesick

Heine Groh, who deserted the Reds in Memphis to return to Cincinnati to see his family, will probably not be fined by Manager Mathewson. Leddie Heine was homesick and gave this reason for leaving the team.

Heine Was Homesick

When you lose something leave it to TIMES WANT ADS to find it.

SHINOLA
Make Thrift a Household Word
Teach the children to be thrifty. Habits formed in childhood are not apt to change in after years. The key opening box of SHINOLA with more than fifty shines and a SHINOLA HOME SET
for polishing is an outfit unequalled for economy and convenience.
BLACK—TAN—WHITE
At all dealers—Take no substitute.
SHINE WITH SHINOLA AND SAVE
HOME SET

Everything In Readiness For The Bowlers Banquet

Everything is in readiness for the annual banquet of the Masonic Bowling league to be held at the Washington hotel tomorrow (Thursday) evening at 8:15 o'clock. In order to accommodate several members of the league, it was found necessary to advance the hour to 8:15, at which time a grand march will be inaugurated, the terminal being the banquet hall.

Judging from reports received from all quarters fully 55 members will be present and this may be increased when all reports are in. But two set speeches will be made. Dr. P. W. Young, captain of the Ivory Knobs, will have the honor of making a presentation speech when handing over the trophies to the present winners, the Giant Killers. Captain Charles Bucher will respond in behalf of his victorious team. Needless to add that these two men will uncork a plentiful supply of oratory—enough to last throughout the entire evening. Incidentally a certain team has a surprise to spring, that will add much to the pleasures of the occasion.

At the meeting the annual election will take place. President F. W. Sheridan has positively declined to answer seek the office, believing that such an honor should be passed around. Manager William N. Gableman, of the Play House, will be an honored guest. Mr. Gableman has done everything "thin his power to help the league members have a good time, and it is quite nothing that he grace the occasion with his presence. Alvin Host Alan Jordan promises one of the finest feeds in the history of the Washington and it is hardly necessary to remark that every member present will do his part toward hanging up a perfect record. Just one thing more: All members who have not yet paid their banquet dues of \$1.50 are requested to do so at once by their respective captains or pay the money to Treasurer William Hazelbeck at the Royal Savings and Loan Co.

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Key West, Fla. \$40.00
And equally low rates to other points in the South. Also tickets on sale daily with return limit June 1st at slightly higher fares.
Inquire about special all-expense packages conducted by tour to California leaving Portsmouth on June 1st, Pass 1887-B or No. 18 for particulars.
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LEGAL NOTICE

To whom it may concern:
Notice is hereby given that Alfred Browning will apply, according to law, to the county auditor for a recalculation of certain streets and alley intersecting, adjoining and abutting upon lots Nos. 12 to 112 inclusive, lots 122 to 131 inclusive and lots 132 to 151 inclusive, and for the return of said recalculation to the county auditor for the purpose of the vacated streets and alleys which they bound, containing one hundred and twenty-one acres, be the same more or less, and being part of survey No. 298, situated in Holbrook Township, Hamilton County, Ohio. Should any interested party or parties object to vacation of said streets and alleys and the return of same to the county auditor, they are hereby notified that an injunction must be secured in the county auditor on or before the 1st day of April, 1917.
ALFRED BROWNING,
D. W. Gustin, Atty.

Notice of Settlements

Notice is hereby given that the following accounts, with vouchers have been filed in the Probate Court of Hamilton County, Ohio, and will be heard on Monday the 9th day of April, A. D. 1917, at 10 o'clock, A. M. First and final account of Henry B. Hinkle, administrator of the estate of John Hinkle, deceased.
2-12261. First and final account of F. C. White, administrator of the estate of Elizabeth White, deceased.
2-12262. First account of Eunice A. Kent, administrator of the estate of George A. Hinkle, deceased.
2-12263. First and final account of Mark Crawford, administrator of the estate of William J. Lyons, deceased.
2-12264. First and final account of Alexander Fisher, administrator of the estate of Sarah Field, deceased.
2-12265. Second and final account of George M. Appel, deceased.
2-12266. First and final account of Charles A. Fisher, administrator of the estate of Della A. Wampler, deceased.
2-12267. First and final account of Louis Fisher, administrator of the estate of John Deltz, deceased.
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A CASE IN POINT

Charles Eichenlaub, a farmer living at the headwaters of Little Bear Creek, came to town, by rail, one day last week, to market produce. He was compelled to remain overnight, because a heavy rain fell after his arrival and from experience, he knew that the road, which runs along the banks of Little Bear, would be inundated and impassable, it being so located that it is lower at places than the creek. Speaking of the situation Mr. Eichenlaub said the condition of the highway was injurious to the welfare of those whom it is designed to serve. Frequently it prevented them from reaching market at all and generally only light loads could be hauled over it, thus making marketing costly. For several years relief had been sought through the county commissioners, but owing to a lack of funds, they had been unable to do anything until this year, when the road will be repaired, if the funds can be possibly be found.

There are many good farms tributary to Little Bear road, but they seldom change hands and have a reduced sale price because of the lack of good roads. And there is the kernel of the whole road situation, or question. In the aggregate large sums of money have been spent on the Little Bear pike, if such it may be called. The county, combined with the township, never constructed it rightly and expenditures were for temporary repairs that had a habit of disappearing every time a rain fell. The right sort of a highway would have cost no more in the same number of years, not even as much, perhaps, as a makeshift. If we figure on what has been the loss to those who must use the road, certainly not as much. Wherefore we reach the conclusion that the best policy is to build permanent roads. This may be slow, because people have to be able to get somewhere and exigencies of outlet demand temporary provision therefor; but to the possible limit its resources will permit the county will find that real roads are the only roads.

Portsmouth had her first taste of the great war upon which America is about to enter Tuesday afternoon when the whistle of the Selby Shoe company factory sounded the alarm for the immediate assembling of Company K, Seventh Regiment Ohio National Guard, at its armory, preparatory to entering upon guard duty. The shrill blast of the factory whistle sent a thrill over the town, every one sensing intuitively the meaning. Some thought it presaged declaration of actual war and for a long time Times telephones were busy in answering calls for information. It brought with it too, a sobering sense of what war means, but in every heart was awakened stronger patriotic sentiment. Portsmouth has not been a jingo town. It's people have not clamored for war. But in the whole land we doubt if there is a more thoroughly patriotic city, a city in which there is more genuine America first and only sentiment, than in Portsmouth. And Portsmouth stands ready to do her share in the war in every respect, just as she did in the civil war, and in the Spanish war.

In the excitement of preparation for war, we overlooked the fact that The Times had a little anniversary of its own the other day. On March 23rd the daily edition of this paper was 23 years old, the first issue having made its appearance on March 23rd, 1894. Of the little force of men and women who gazed upon the first effort so proudly and so hopefully, the writer of this is the only one now connected with the paper, and he has been with the paper continuously from the first issue. We believe that if we could have foreseen all of the trials and tribulations and work connected with the upbuilding of the paper we would all have been discouraged. But we didn't know and so we plunged into the future with unflinching courage and stout heart, and faith in the future of The Times and of Portsmouth.

Well, anyway we see that our congressman, Mr. Kearns, is getting interview shy in his old age. It is about as hard these days to get an expression from him on any subject under the sun as it is to interview the Sphinx. Wise boy, is our Charlie. He got his fingers burned once by saying what he thought right out loud and he has been afraid of the fire ever since.

It is impossible, owing to the censorship, to tell just what is going on in Russia, but it looks as though both the Entente and the Central Powers are deeply concerned as to the possible effect of the revolution on the war. The Entente undoubtedly fear that the new government, especially if it suffers a sudden reverse, may ask for a separate peace from Germany, an appeal that would meet with a speedy response and thus leave Germany free to deal with France and England. That Germany will seek to crush the Russian armies and that she will do so in the hope of forcing Russia out of the war, seems the most probable German strategy. Or again, Russia may be made a peace offer with favorable terms, an offer the new rulers might feel called upon to accept so as to find time to consolidate their positions and straighten out the kinks in the new government.

The next few weeks will be full of interest, especially for this country, about to enter into the war.

There must have been a rumor to the effect that the flood wall dikes were to be mobilized for trench duty for even the regulars have abandoned the favorite moat.

Here's a tip to our progressive barbers: In Youngstown the shik machine has replaced the "one sided dialogue" in barber shops. Patrons can now listen to the latest song hits while having their chins scraped or their heads shampooed.

DUTY



NEW AUTOMOBILE LAWS

A number of changes have been made in road laws as they affect motorists by the legislature, changes that will work for the safety of travel generally. One law provides that headlights shall be dimmed in passing another motor or vehicle, said dimming to take place when at a distance of not less than 700 feet, or so adjusted that a distance of not less than 200 feet or more in front of such vehicle, no part of the intensified rays shall be visible more than 3 and one-half feet above the surface of the highway and remain so until the approaching vehicle passes by. Spot lights must be put out at a distance of not less than 700 feet unless so deflected that their rays shine directly on the roadway and at a distance not exceeding 60 feet in front of the vehicle. Twenty-five dollars fine is provided for the first offense, and not less than \$50 or more than \$100 for the second offense.

Another bill provides for lights on all vehicles traveling on public highways one hour after sunset and one hour before sunrise, said lights to be visible at least 200 feet, from the front and the rear. A twenty-five dollar fine is also provided for violation of this law.

Another law makes it mandatory that detours shall be kept passable and in repair while highways are being rebuilt or repaired.

County funds may be spent in maintaining roads in villages and municipalities, where such roads are part of main highways, under provisions of an amendment to the Cass Highway law.

Another law makes it mandatory on a judge to sentence an automobile thief to from one to fifteen years in the penitentiary.

Another law provides for the suspension or revocation of the license of a reckless automobile driver.

A Jackson county orchardist is authority for the statement that most of the peaches in Jackson and Ross counties have been killed by frost and that plums and cherries have also suffered badly. Apples are safe so far, he says. We hope he is mistaken, but there doesn't seem much chance for a bumper crop in any event.

A worried patriot writes the New York Sun that he is 37 years old and married and he wants to know when his turn will come in the mobilization orders, in war time. The Sun tells him that there are about fifteen million possibles ahead of him in point of age before his time comes, if he feels that way about it and so he need not worry particularly about being called upon. However, it advises him to get in condition for no man can tell what the future will have in store.

Great surprise is expressed in prominent Prussian circles because we're going to fight if we have to and we guess the Kaiser must have got the idea somehow that we had put him on the songbird list.—Ohio State Journal.

THIS IS SAD

(By George Martin)

A man has no time to be decent to his wife.

He gets up early in the morning with a grouse and has to leave before it does. Consequently he has no time to be decent to her in the morning.

He arrives at the office feeling fine, and he continues to feel fine until long in the afternoon, when his duties begin to crab and nag him. By the time he gets home at night he is disgruntled for the evening. Thus he has no time to be decent to her in the evening.

On Sunday he is too worn out with the work of the week to do anything but eat and mope.

The average man has plenty of good disposition, but no time to practice it on his wife.

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The Cash Grocer

NEW-YORK-DAY-BY-DAY.

O-O-MEINTYRE.

New York, March 26—
Everytime I mail—
A story to a magazine.
The editor.
Sends a man.
To Jersey City.
To intercept it.
And mail it back.
And it makes me so mad.
Because I write good stories.
My wife admits it.
And I back her up.
So the other day.
I called on an editor.
And crawled in on my knees.
And licked.
A little blacking.
Off his shoes.
And he reached over.
And patted me.
On the head.
And said:
"What is it, little man?"
And I told him.
I had The Great American Novel.
And wanted him to read it.
And he said he would.
And we went out.
And got all full of tea.
And hot biscuits.
And strained honey.
And I told him.
What a great editor he was.
And what nifty clothes.
He wore.
And how learned he looked.
And he took it all in.
And I went out.
And scattered sunshine.
In the sad lives.
Of a few nervous creditors.

And bought some clothes.
And rumped home.
To tell my wife.
And she was just opening.
A package.
Containing.
The Great American Novel.
It had beat me home.
By fifteen minutes.
And the next time that editor.
Goes out in the rain.
I hope.
He forgets his rubbers.
The great big stiff.

Injured Arm Is X-Rayed

C. C. Bothwell, N. & W. engineer, who was injured at Otway several days ago, was reported a little better Wednesday at his home on Eleventh street. An X-ray picture has been made of his injured arm, which was crushed.

New Truckman

Ernest Snyder, of Elm street, will begin work Wednesday as truckman at the D. & O. S.-W. freight station.

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Lots To Learn

There's a little weary fellow with a pencil in his hand Vainly struggling with a problem that he can not understand. Not a very complex problem, but the simplest little sum Is a great and dreadful labor when the answer will not come. Anyway, it's no use trying, there are dozens more to do, Many dreary pages of them, till one works the whole book thro' Where's the sense of all this study when you find at every turn That no matter what the task is there is still too much to learn!

Pretty tough to be a youngster, pretty hard to make things bright When one looks thru years of lessons and can see no hope in sight. You and I can stand beside him and can whisper in his ear All the old and threadbare maxims that are meant to carry cheer. But we know we're talking idly, in our inmost hearts we know That the way grows ever harder, never mind how far we go. And though many is the number of the pages that we turn In our endless Book of Knowledge there is still so much to learn!

—James J. Montague.

Seeing and Hearing

Two fellows were boasting of their prowess—one because of his splendid eyesight, the other of his fine hearing. Said the one—"See that fly on that third telephone pole, there he goes out on the wire—see him!" The other peered closely. "No," he said, "I'll have to admit I can't see him, but I can hear him."

A Fine Day

President George C. Woodruff of the Baldhead Club of America, said at the recent turkey dinner in Hartford: "The members of this club don't buy hair-growers. There are lots of millionaire hair-grower manufacturers, but we don't patronize them. "The bald head who keeps on hoping for new hair seems to us as irrational as the Irishman who will never say no. "Some Irish, you know, will never disagree with you—never say no. A tourist couldn't believe this. So he resolved to put it to the test. He said to an Irishman one day when it was raining cats and dogs: "It's a fine day, Pat." "Shure an' it is, yer honor," said Pat, "an' it would be finer if it wasn't raining!"—Washington Star.

Had An Assistant

"Did your husband die a natural death?" we asked Mrs. Mala-prop. "Oh, no," she replied. "He had a doctor."—Exchange.

Bound to Figure It Out

A school inspector, who was examining a class of boys in arithmetic, set the following question: "If a cat fell into a bottomless pit, and climbed up two feet for every three it fell, how long would it take to get out?"

This proved a regular puzzler to the lads, but one little fellow went at the problem with a will, and covered both sides of his slate with calculations.

"Here!" exclaimed the inspector, as he noticed him hard at work. "Stop doing that. Haven't you the sense to see that the cat couldn't possibly get out?"

"Oh, yes, he could, sir," replied the boy, brightly. "If you'll only give me time, I'll bring him out at Australia."

Object of Solitude

Our dove of peace we love so dear When sitting out upon a limb, And woe to any who draw near And try to take a shot at him!—Washington Star.

Vegetarians

A novelist was arguing against vegetarianism. "The vegetarians' claims are fantastic," he said. "It's no use reasoning with them. You must just advance fantastic counter claims against them."

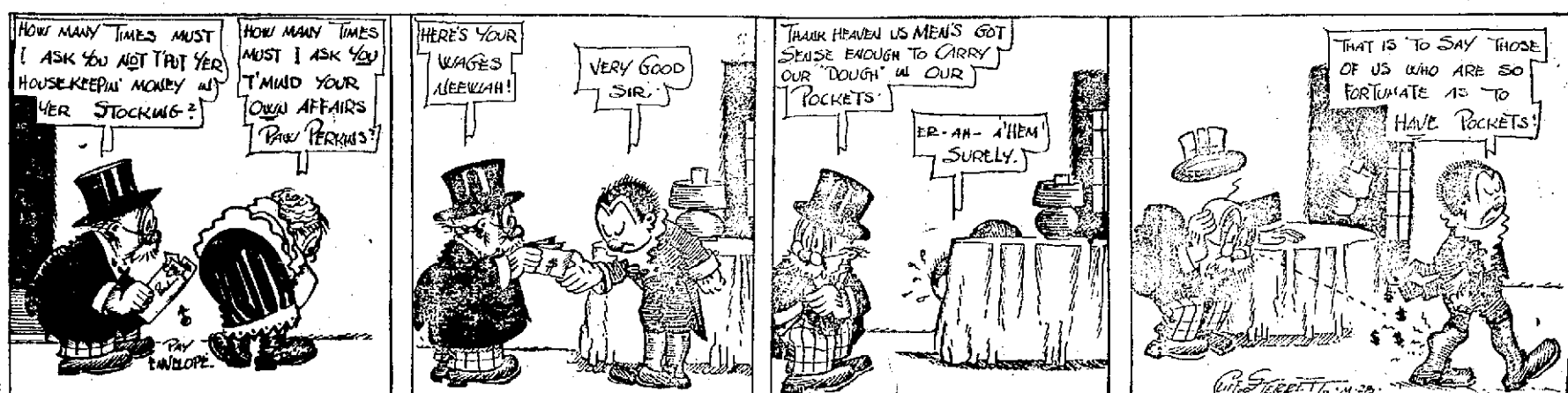
"A rabid vegetarian once said to me: 'It is a matter of universal record that meat eaters grow like the meats they eat. Thus the beef eater becomes dull and bovine. The mutton eater becomes sheepish. The veal eater is a calf. The pork eater is a hog.'"

"My loud laughter interrupted him. "True, quite true, my friend," I said. "And have you also noticed how all your vegetarian potato eaters are pretty small potatoes?"—Washington Star.

POLLY AND HER PALS

Purses Are for Those Who Have Pockets

By CLIFF STERRETT



Company K Boys Are On Duty Keeping Watch Over Bridge

On Duty
Captain W. J. Keyes.
First Lieutenant Joseph Horchow.
First Sergeant Theron Matthews.
Mess Sergeant J. W. McGraw.
Supply Sergeant Walter E. Method.
Sergeant Clarus Wood.
Sergeant Robert Padan.
Sergeant James A. Barber.
Sergeant Walter Darby.
Sergeant Charles Argerbright.
Corporal William Stevenson.
Corporal Floyd Adams.
Corporal Wesley Bennett.
Corporal Walter Johnson.
Corporal Robert Nutter.
Corporal Carey Williams.
Corporal John Shoemaker.
Lance Corporal Gilbert Phillips.
Artificer Clarence Nagel.
Musician Edward Zeek.
Private Oscar Barker.
Private Thomas Bates.
Private Edward Brock.
Private George Blair.
Private Herman Havecott.
Private William Johnson.
Private Charles E. Martin.
Private Oney Myers.
Private Harold Phillips.
Private Leonard Rice.
Private Charles Flagg.
Private Samuel Young.

Under the command of Capt. W. J. Keyes, thirty non-commissioned officers and privates and one commissioned officer left for Sciotoville at 4:40 o'clock Tuesday afternoon on a special traction car, in response to orders issued by Adjutant General George H. Wood, Columbus, requesting a detail from Company K, Seventh Regiment, Ohio National Guards, to guard the new Chesapeake and Ohio Northern bridge.

The orders were received Tuesday afternoon at one o'clock. The call to mobilize was sounded on the siren at the Selby Shoe company. By two o'clock more than the required number had presented themselves for duty.

When the members of Company K arrived at Sciotoville they marched to the offices of the McClintic-Marshall company, where temporary quarters had been prepared for them.

First Lieutenant Joseph Horchow was sent ahead by Captain Keyes to make ready for the detail.

No cooks or culinary utensils were taken along, as the members of the company will secure board some place near the camp.

When the whistle sounded at the armory Tuesday afternoon for Company K to "fall in," there were thirty-eight ready for duty; just eight more than needed.

First Sergeant Theron Matthews called for eight to leave the ranks. Not a man moved. Volunteers to remain at home was requested. Yet not a man stepped forward.

Then Captain Keyes, to settle the question as to who would make up the detail or platoon that would go on duty, flipped coins, to see who would go and who would remain. By this system the thirty were picked.

Other members of the company, called at the armory at frequent intervals and attempted to get a berth on the detail. But they were refused. Just five minutes before the time set for departure for Sciotoville, Private Charles Flagg succeeded in negotiating with Private James Wright for his place in the line. When the detail was leaving the room Private Charles Flagg had changed clothes and was ready.

A case of ammunition, containing twelve hundred rounds of sharp pointed, steel jacketed cartridges, was carried to the street and loaded on the traction car.

It was four thirty o'clock before the detail from Company K left the armory. At four forty o'clock a special traction car in charge of Hugh Higgins, Portsmouth Street Railroad and Light company, and Edward Beebe, motorman, and John Baine, conductor, started for the bridge.

A large crowd of spectators gathered to watch the khaki clad boys leave. The young men were given an ovation. Business men called upon Captain W. J. Keyes and wished him the best of luck.

On arriving at Sciotoville the detail detrained and marched to the camp which is located near the McClintic-Marshall company's office. Marching equipment and rifles were stacked and preparations made to spend the night.

The detail was divided into watches. Fifteen rounds of ammunition was issued to each man. The guard was established. Instructions were issued to stop any prowler and hold him for investigation.

"Let All Stand As One Man If Real War Should Come"

—SAYS WALTER BAGBY

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States will soon be fighting on the side of the Allies. If through the force of circumstances we should be compelled to resort to arms to defend our rights as a nation, it will not be difficult for true Americans to find their place or to know their duty. We would be blind, indeed, if we could not see and realize our own faults and shortcomings as a nation, but in spite of these, and above them all are the institutions of liberty and the principles of democracy

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Up River Companies Are Also Called Out

Thirty men and two officers of Company I, of Ironton, were ordered to Kenova late Tuesday afternoon to guard the N. & W. bridge there. Captain Kingery and 30 men were soon on the job and will remain at the bridge indefinitely.

A monster crowd turned out last night at Ironton to greet the soldier boys as they departed for Kenova. Several of the boys did not have overcoats and citizens at the train offered theirs to the boys. The Gallipoli company has also been ordered out to protect bridges in that vicinity.

Claim Boys Tampered With Safety Appliances

The Ironton Irontonian Wednesday morning said: "Charged with tampering with the safety appliances of the Norfolk and Western Railway Company, Ernest Wilson and W. H. Abrams, both about nineteen years of age, were arrested Tuesday afternoon on a warrant sworn out in Squire Neal's court by N. & W. Special Agent L. H. Esplaner, of Portsmouth, and Constable Mike Brannigan. The young men are now in the county jail awaiting trial.

The boys are charged with cutting the fire on a signal switch, stopping a train by lowering the signal, on one occasion, in order that they might throw off coal. On another occasion, it is charged, they broke the air coupling on a train below Hanging Rock and nearly wrecked it. At that time a conductor shot at Abrams and the bullet pierced the rim of his hat, it is claimed.

Thousands of people go through TIMES WANT ADE every night. They read them with profit.

OHIO IS FALLING

The Ohio river is again falling briskly at this point, the gauge at 7 o'clock Wednesday morning showing a stage of 38 feet.

The Greenwood passed up Wednesday morning for Huntington and will be down Thursday for Cincinnati.

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Prichard Faced Death In Flames That Destroyed His Shantyboat

BABY WEEK CARRIES PREPAREDNESS CAMPAIGN TO THE CRADLE



A nurse of the Children's Bureau staff showing mothers how to make an ice box for baby's milk, and Miss Julia C. Lathrop, head of the bureau.

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MAKING PLANS FOR PATRIOTIC MEETING

The joint meeting of Vienna Camp Sons of Veterans and Vienna Auxiliary held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Skelton Tuesday evening, to complete plans for the district meeting Saturday evening, and reception of Col. C. A. Whittlessey, division commander, J. Edgar Shiere, division secretary, Mrs. Cora S. Kennedy, division president of S. V. auxiliary, and Miss Patterson, division organizer, both of Bellefontaine, have completed all but minor arrangements for the meeting. John R. Skelton presided.

It will be held in Selby (G. A. R.) hall. Reports from John A. Logan Camp No. 44 at Friendship, and Lois Camp No. 10 of Harrisonville are that they will attend. The G. A. R. comrades, W. R. C. and S. V. auxiliary, together with members of their respective families, will attend and the meeting promises to be very large. It will be in the nature of a camp-fire, with speakers, music and story, similar to the district meeting held two years ago.

Floyd Stearnes has kindly donated his services and will be the pianist of the evening. S. D. Eckhart will be chairman of the meeting. The reception committee will be: Harry M. Sickles, Hartzell Evans, Gilbert F. Dadds, David P. Scott and John R. Skelton.

The committee to meet the visitors at the train will be: T. C. Besty, David P. Scott and S. D. Eckhart. Vienna Auxiliary will name their committee when they hear from headquarters.

Secretary Shiere will be entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Harry M. Sickles, of Second street, and several have asked that Col. Whittlessey be assigned to their homes.

Mrs. H. T. Fairtrace, district aide on Mrs. Kennedy's staff, wishes the pleasure of entertaining her and Miss Patterson.

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Cincinnati To Land W. O. W. Convention

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Cincinnati, which means the Queen City will get the next head camp convention. District Manager Roy McElhenny, of Cincinnati, is the person who induced the Cleveland Woodmen to waive claims, he having been sent to Cleveland yesterday by the convention committee of the Cincinnati Chamber of Commerce."

Application For License Turned Down By Board

The Scioto County Liquor License Board, at a meeting held Monday night, refused to grant a saloon license to Ollie Redman, colored, who made application to open a saloon on Tenth street near the N. & W. depot.

Jesse Marshall, colored, who had been conducting a saloon at Thirteenth and Railroad streets, surrendered his license to the board last night. He was given a hearing several days ago on a charge of receiving stolen goods, and before it could render its decision Marshall turned in his license. Dr. P. W. Young, of the board, stated Monday night.

Daniel Heid Missing; Family Is Alarmed

Where is Daniel Heid? Has anyone seen him since Monday noon? Any information regarding his whereabouts would be more than gladly received by his wife and three children at their home on Mabert Road. Their telephone number is 1720-R.

Mr. Heid arose as usual Monday morning and left the house about eleven o'clock, saying he was going down street. Since that time he has not been heard from by his family.

Mrs. Heid is at a loss to account for his continued absence, as he had never stayed away from home before. Mrs. Heid says they had no family trouble and that her husband had a good job at the N. & W. terminals and can not find a reason why he disappeared.

Besides his wife he has three small children: Alma, aged 5 years; Harriet, aged 2 years; and Geneva, aged 3 months. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Heid, of Wheelersburg, say they have not heard from him for some time. Inquiries at his usual haunts have thrown no light on his disappearance.

Nonpareils Organize

A meeting of the Nonpareil baseball club was held Tuesday evening at the home of Henry Hensge on Tenth street. Henry Hensge was elected manager, Luther Hensge, captain, and Will Smith, treasurer. The